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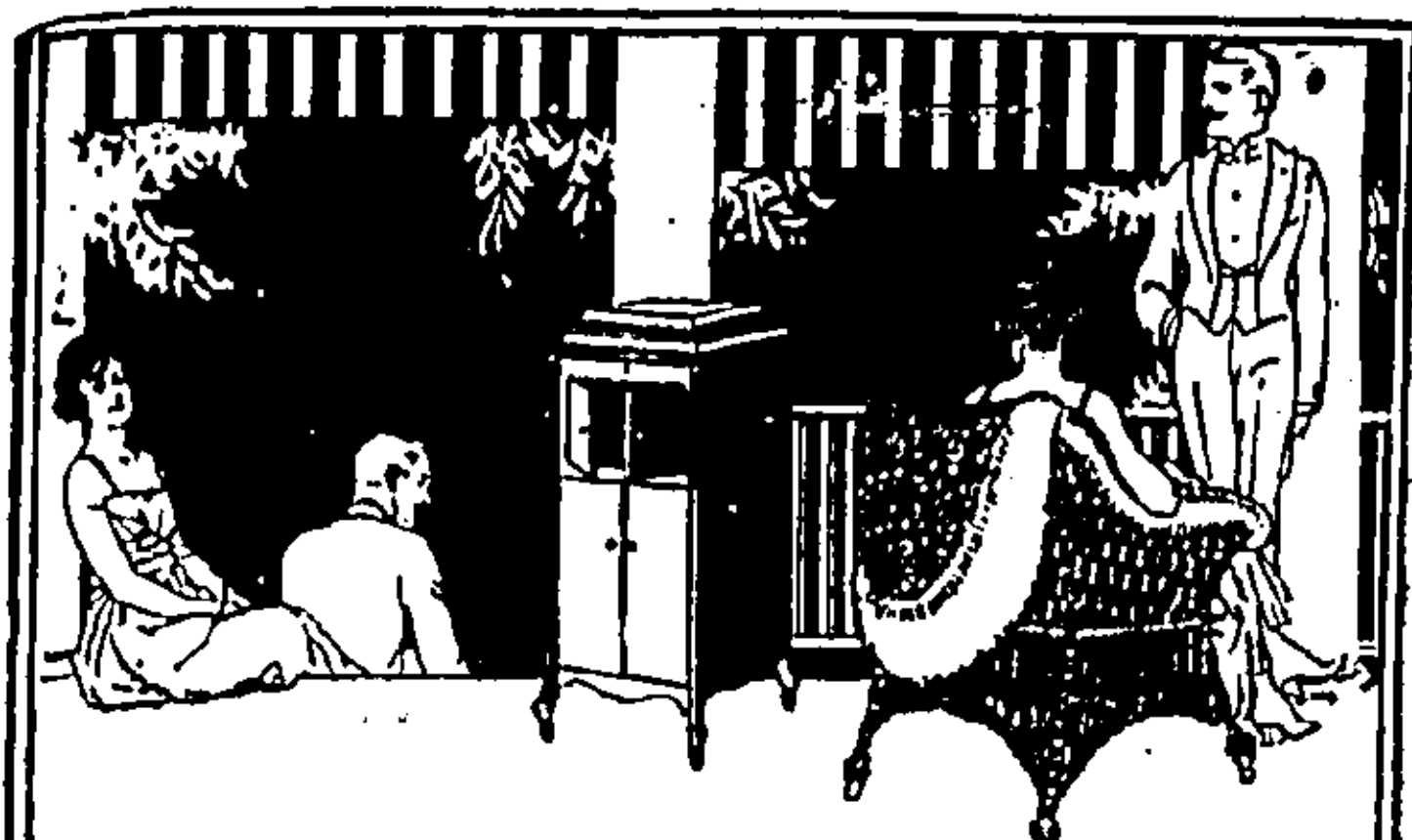
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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

COUNTY CRICKET.

SOME RESULTS

LONDON, August 4.

Middlesex won on the first innings from Essex at Leyton Mann. (Middlesex) scored 100 and Claude Ashton (Essex) 110 not out.

Surrey won on the first innings when playing against Hampshire at Portsmouth. Handham contributed 123 not out towards his side's victory.

At Weston-Super-Mare Somerset won on the first innings from Worcestershire. White, for Somerset, took 14 for 84.

Nottinghamshire, playing against Lancashire at Nottingham, won by 117 runs, Carracoring 103.

Northamptonshire beat Glamorgan at Northampton by 24 runs.

LONDON TO MARSEILLES.

NEW AIR SERVICE.

PARIS, August 4.

A regular London-Marseilles passenger air service opens on August 11. Machines will leave London on Mondays and Fridays and will leave Marseilles on Tuesdays and Saturdays, specially catering for travellers to and from the East. The trip will occupy ten hours, including a change in Paris.

INDUSTRIAL UNREST IN AMERICA.

STRIKERS AMBUSH TROOPS.

INDIANAPOLIS, August 4.

The first hostilities arising out of an attempt to mine coal under the protection of troops occurred at Stanton where men ambushed the National Guardsmen who returned fire. The fusillade, after being taken up throughout the area, continued for over an hour, the troops using automatic rifles.

ARMS IN GERMANY.

ALLIED COMMISSION'S FIND.

BERLIN, August 4.

The Inter-allied Control Mission discovered a thousand tons of war material, ammunition and rifles and 1300 shells during a visit to a fortress at Neisse in Silesia. The German military authorities tried to prevent the visit. A German officer stood at the front door of the magazine declaring that the place was mined. Look-smiths had to be employed to open doors in other parts of the fortress.

AMUNDSEN'S POLAR TRIP.

NOME, August 4.

Amundsen's ship, the "Maud," wirelesses that she is in the ice close to Wrangel Island. Amundsen is going to Point Barrow and intends to attempt the Pole this year, weather permitting. Otherwise he will try next year.

ITALIAN DISTURBANCE OVER.

ROME, August 4.

Normal conditions have practically been restored throughout Italy, though there have been disturbances at Ancona and Genoa wherein four communists were killed and several wounded.

GERMAN TRADE WITH U.K.

LONDON, August 4.

In the House of Commons Sir Philip Lloyd Greame stated that German imports for the year ended July 30 to Britain totalled £21,000,000. Exports to Germany from Britain totalled £25,000,000.

STEAMER "AJAX" AT ADEN.

ADEN, August 4.

The British steamer "Ajax" from New York to Penang put in here with a broken weir pump and rods. The repairs will require about two days to execute.

HOUSE OF COMMONS ADJOURNS.

LONDON, August 4.

The House of Commons has adjourned to November 14.

THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2/6 13/16.
To-day's opening rate 2/7 1/16.

EMPIRE WIRELESS.

NEED FOR UNITY.

LONDON, August 4.

"The position of the Empire wireless has greatly improved but is still far from satisfactory. Meanwhile other countries are getting ahead of us," said Mr. Robert Donald presiding at the annual meeting of the Empire Press Union. He said that the Post Master General's recent announcement of a new Empire wireless policy was a surprising confession that the policy of the Post Office in the past was wrong. The new plan had not undone the early blunders and meant an entire change in equipment, methods and transmission. We were threatened with two or three different systems of wireless in the Empire none of which would be a complete chain in itself. Unless they coordinated there would certainly be delay and confusion. All high-powered stations should work in harmony and the whole Empire system or systems should be under unified control.

GRANCO-TURKISH TROUBLE.

A FRONTIER INCIDENT.

LONDON, August 4.

A message from Athens in regard to the reported incursions of Greek patrols across the Turkish frontier states that at Thrace on August 2 twelve Greek soldiers, some of whom were unarmed, were searching for firewood. They crossed the frontier by mistake and fell into an ambush. They were fired on and compelled to withdraw. Three were killed. A Greek patrol which occupied the farm was withdrawn.

General Mombelli, Italian Commander-in-Chief at Constantinople, with the British and French officers has gone to the frontier to arrange for a neutral zone on either side to prevent the crossing of patrols and aircraft.

FRENCH SEAMEN.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY WANTED.

PARIS, August 4.

Following the rejection of the French proposals mentioned in the cables on August 3, the national council of the French Seamen's union has decided to secede from the Seamen's International and try to convoke a new International conference of seamen to submit the question of the introduction of an eight-hour day in the merchant services of the whole world.

L.O.N. ASSEMBLY.

DUTCH DELEGATES NOMINATED.

The following will represent the Netherlands government at the third meeting of the Assembly of the League of Nations opening at Geneva on September 4: Doctor London, Dutch Minister in Paris, Professor Struycken of the Hague Arbitration Court and Professor Vaneyssinga of the University of Leyden.

DEATH OF TELEPHONE INVENTOR.

A CANADIAN-AMERICAN TRIBUTE.

NEW YORK, August 4.

The whole of the telephone service of Canada and the United States was suspended for a minute this evening as a tribute to Dr. Graham Bell. His body will rest in a tomb blasted out of Cape Breton Rock on the summit of Blinn Branch.

NEW CONSUL GENERAL.

LONDON, August 4.

The appointment of three British consuls general in China is gazetted, namely, Messrs. Berthold Tours, Bertram Giles and Henry Sly.

NEW HAVARIAN CHIEF.

BERLIN, August 4.

In connection with the new government coalition formed in Bavaria it is noteworthy that whereas all the other German state governments contain a proportion of socialists, Bavaria is the first state to have a purely bourgeois cabinet.

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Dated this 4th day of August, 1922.

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INTIMATIONS.

HONGKONG LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION.

THE SHIELDS will be presented to the Winners in the "A" and "B" Divisions by Mrs. SEVERN on SATURDAY, August 5th at the Indian Recreation Club ground. Exhibition Matches will be played "The Rest" versus the Winners in each Division commencing at 4 p.m.
JOHN C. FLETCHER,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, August 4, 1922.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OFFICE.
GENERAL HOLIDAY.
This office will be open for all business from 9 a.m. to 12 noon on MONDAY, the 7th August, 1922. Licensed Vessels will be regularly closed on that day.
S. L. SMITH, Superintendent.
Imports and Exports.
Hongkong, August 2, 1922.

BANK HOLIDAY.
IN accordance with Ordinance No. 5 of 1912, the EXCHANGE BANKS will be closed for the transaction of PUBLIC BUSINESS on MONDAY, the 7th inst.
Hongkong, August 2, 1922.

THE PEAK CHURCH.
THERE will be evening service and sermon in the Peak Church on the Sundays in August at 6 p.m.
Hongkong, August 3, 1922.

DIOCESAN GIRLS' SCHOOL, KOWLOON.
THIS SCHOOL will re-open on TUESDAY, September 12th. Boarders return on MONDAY, September 11th.
The Head Mistress will interview all new pupils during the week, September 4th to September 8th, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.
Prospectuses may be had on application at the school.
C. A. FERGUSON,
Head Mistress.
Hongkong, August 4, 1922.

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New students may be admitted September 7, 1922, or February 8, 1923. Free tuition (\$125) to student passing the best examination for admission to the Freshman class of College of Arts and Sciences or College of Agriculture at special examination on August 29 at C. C. C. Branch School, 1 Broadwood Terrace, Hongkong. For full information on courses, entrance requirements, expenses, etc., write, giving line of study in which you are most interested, to
THE DEAN,
CANTON CHRISTIAN COLLEGE,
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July 22, 1922.

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UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Society will be held at the Head Office of the Society Nos. 3 and 4 Queen's Buildings, in the Colony of Hongkong, on Friday, 18th day of August 1922, at Noon, for the purpose of considering and if thought fit approving the draft New Articles of Association of the Society which will be submitted to the Meeting.
A print of such new Articles and a print of the existing Articles may be seen at the Society's Registered Office at Nos. 3 and 4 Queen's Buildings aforesaid. Should the Meeting approve of such new Articles with or without modification the said Resolution will be proposed as an Extraordinary Resolution, namely:—
"That the new Articles already approved by the Meeting and for the purpose of identification subscribed by the Chairman thereof be and the same are hereby adopted as the Articles of the Society to the exclusion of and in substitution for all the existing Articles thereof."

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a SECOND EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Society will be held at the Head Office of the Society, Nos. 3 and 4 Queen's Buildings aforesaid, on Tuesday, the 15th day of September 1922, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a report of the Proceedings at the above mentioned Meeting and of confirming if thought fit, as a Special Resolution, the above mentioned Resolution.
Dated this 8th day of July, 1922,
By Order of the Board,
C. MONTAGUE EDE,
General Manager.

BRITISH TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LORD NORTHCLIFFE'S SERIOUS CONDITION.

LONDON, August 3rd.
A grave Bulletin in regard to Lord Northcliffe, who has been suffering from heart trouble, was issued this morning. It says, there is some increase of heart weakness, accompanied by general exhaustion. His Lordship's condition gives rise to great anxiety.

DISTURBANCES IN ITALY.
ROME, August 3rd.
The tension between the Fascists and the Communists is becoming more acute. Disturbances, accompanied by casualties, have occurred at Genoa and Ancona, but nevertheless the Government is confident of restoring complete order in a few days.

INDIAN DISTURBANCES.
MADRAS, August 3rd.
One hundred and eighty-six Congress and Khilafat Volunteers have been arrested at Chittur, in consequence of defiance of an order prohibiting a meeting in honour of the arrival of the Committee which is touring India to see whether the country is prepared for civil disobedience. There was no disorder.

BELLICOSE GREECE.
ATHENS, August 4th.
The Greek reply to the Powers says they had decided to occupy Constantinople to obtain a prompt conclusion of peace. If the Powers hinder the exercise of Greece's rights as a belligerent, they will only make the situation still more complicated. The reply finally draws attention to the danger of delay in forcing a definite peace, causing fresh calamities for Christians, and repeating the intolerable state of things in the Near East.

THE "EGYPT" DISASTER.
LONDON, August 3rd.
Mr. Bucknill, representing the India Office, contended in his address to the Court that inadequate time was allowed for boat drill before the Egypt left Tilbury. He declared the evidence showed that the natives did given tasks faithfully, but in the absence of leadership became confused. Counsel for the Peninsular and Oriental Co. submitted that the Board of Trade's case against the company had left out of sight the shortness of time and the extraordinary list after the collision. He submitted that even if some natives lost their heads, the most highly organized bodies of men sometimes stampeded, and he contended that the Egypt was travelling slowly and carefully. The Solicitor-General submitted that the Egypt was travelling at an immoderate speed, having regard to the fog, and contended there was a grave absence of discipline, lack of system, organization, responsibility, and a totally insufficient training. He does not doubt that Lascars were very good seamen when properly led, but it was essential for the white officers and crew to be able to speak their language.

WAR DEBTS.
BERLIN, August 3rd.
The Half-year Note has made a most favourable impression. The newspaper *Der Tag* thinks that it foreshadows at least diplomatic support for Germany by England in the controversy with France, and is of the opinion that Anglo-American action is imminent. The *Berlin Courier* says the Note is regarded in political circles as fresh proof that the reparations problem is nearing solution.

BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE ADVANCES.
PARIS, August 3rd.
In reply to a question, the Finance Minister stated that the Government of Indo-China, on January 27th, 1921, advanced 25,000,000 francs to the first syndicate formed to come to the assistance of the Banque Industrielle de Chine, and 10,000,000 francs to the second such syndicate, on the following month. These two subscriptions were authorised by the Cabinet Council.

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ADVERSARIA.

My heart went out to
BRITISH Davie Landale last week
TUCHUNS when Renter reported
him as saying to the
China Association this:

"Great improvement would result
if the people of China could rid them-
selves of Military Governors—who
waded the country's money on the
upkeep of armies for their own
personal aggrandisement—and re-
place them by Civil Governors."

It suggested to me how nice it
would be, just for a change, if such
critics would say "the people of
Britain" instead of "the people of
China." There is Tuchun Churchill,
for example. I would like to see him
outed by a civil Col Sec.

Writing in the *Church
Oriental Family Newspaper*,
RELIGIONS Canon Barnes says that
"Oriental religious
ideas show some tendency to spread"
in seaports like Liverpool and Cardiff,
and he speaks of "deplorable con-
sequences" and the "gravity of the
situation." But, he seems to add this
with some regret, "religious ideas
cannot be prevented from crossing
national frontiers." True, or the
missionary's occupation would be
gone. But now, will someone kindly
tell me how to distinguish between
the religion of Canon Barnes and
"oriental religious ideas"? I heard
or read somewhere, quite a long while
ago, that the ideas of the Church
came from the East.

Writing to a
beautiful lady in
another country,
who has two beautiful children,
I enclosed two "kisses" for the babies,
a big one for the youngest. My
correspondent replied: "We were
glad to get the two kisses. My mother
took one, and I took the other.
Please give a which of us got the
big one." Isn't she a tease? I have
written to tell her that her guessing
competition is too easy. She herself
took the big one. I reason in this
way. Her mother took the smaller
one because she is a wise woman and
knows that she can have as many
more as she likes for the asking. This
is true, because she is a dear old lady
and I love her. My lovely cor-

And ham and turkey are not boiled
enough.
Serenely full, the picture may say—
"Fate cannot harm me—I have
dined to-day."

The Rev. Barham was, as regards
our salad religion, hit-or-miss but
pious. In his barbarous period he
was a well meaning man. There is a
dish the Germans call a salad, and it
is indeed excellent too; but it is not
salad. Potatoes are not true salad
ingredients. I particularly abhor his
heresy of eggs, believing from the
bottom of my being that he who
would interrupt the harmony of salad
with the discordant yolk is a lost
soul. I forgive him much for the
line that speaks of onions, scarce
suspected, animating the whole; and
then his infamous anchovy suggestion
drives me to anger again, so that I
yell for the thumbcrew and the rack.
So does profound faith offend in-
volve strong emotions. On the whole,
however, there was piety in Barham.
All I allege is that he was misled into
grievous error.

But now observe the prose "inter-
pretation" that has infuriated me:
"Boil two large potatoes until
tender, and put them through a
potato-ricer. Add one teaspoonful of
mustard and two scant teaspoonfuls
of salt. Stir in three tablespoonfuls
of olive or other salad oil and one
tablespoonful of vinegar, far as
preferred. To this add the yolks of
three hard cooked eggs put through a
sieve and one small onion grated. Mix
all together well and add last one
teaspoonful of anchovy sauce. Chill,
form into balls, and serve on lettuce
accompanied by a French dressing not
very highly seasoned."

To call that sinful is not enough;
it is damn foolish. It must have been
the work of some incredibly ignorant
stupid, devoid of decency and abso-
lutely lacking in perception. For a
little while you will notice that he
merely follows the verse into error.
Then, when he comes to the
crux and vital principle of salad, the
oil, the living soul and the reason
d'etre of it (mark you that) the villain
has the impudence to shove his own
opinion, with an interpolation so vile
and despicable and treacherous and
homicidal that it leaves me at a loss
for words to fit it. Note that he says
"olive or other salad oil." There is
no other oil than olive for salads. I
murdered a greaser at Home for telling
me there was, and trying to sell it to
me. Barham said Lucca, and Lucca
is an olive place. I do not stand
out for Lucca, because there are
other olive places; but olive I
stipulate it must be. Malva in
Spain will do, and various French
olive districts as well as Italian can
satisfy my requirements; but "other"
olive than olive for this purpose I re-
fuse to hear of. You will be well ad-
vised to repudiate them likewise.
There is in the olive a something
special and spiritual that none other
can pretend to. There is union in
it, and the grace of God. But "sub-
stitutes" (by low tradesmen called
"just as good") are of the devil.

Note further that this thing, this ab-
ject animal, pretended to a nicety in
the matter of vinegar, as if that mat-
tered. So long as it is vinegar, and
not acetic acid, 'twill serve, for one
uses less of it than these recipes pre-
scribe. Of that I will tell you anon.
First I must point out that this
Shanghai bungler, not content with
Barham's heresy of an anchovy im-
permeance, adds on his own account
the atrocity of "a French dressing
not very highly seasoned." Most of
the recipe has been dressing all along,
and he does not realize it. He asks
for a dressing on a dressing. He
knows not what a salad is, you will
also notice. Having copied Barham
to the end, he pontificates "serve
on lettuce." Serve on fiddlesticks.
Bring me this idiot's head served on a
charger, and I'll put French dressing
on it. Let us dismiss him from our
minds, as we do other unpleasant
things. Let us now approach, re-
verently, the proper business of
preparing a salad. Let me show you.

Take your largest bowl you can
find. The so-called "salad bowls" of
commerce are usually far too small.
The wash hand basin from your room
will do excellently. Rub its inside
with garlic. Take six or a dozen
heads of crisp and curly lettuce, re-
cording to your appetite and the
number of your guests. Having well
washed your hands and them, break
them up into pieces little bigger than
a postage stamp, with your fingers.
The man who would chop lettuce
with a cutting instrument would do
anything. Add some shreds of fresh
onion. Now take the largest table
spoon you can find. A small soup
ladle were better still. Having ar-
ranged your ingredients conveniently
about you, hold the ladle in your left
hand, and pour into it pure olive oil
until it is four-fifths full. Now pour in
a spoonful of vinegar, which should
remain in the midst of the oil like the
yolk in the midst of a fried egg. Dash
a dusting of pepper over it, and a
generous teaspoonful of salt, and a
pinch of mustard, and stir altogether
with a fork. Having well stirred,
and while still stirring, dribble the
contents of the ladle into the con-

tents of the bowl. Then stir up the
latter with a wooden fork and spoon,
and eat at once. Do not let it stand.

That's the one true salad gospel
of One Who Knows. Me. Precisely.

I am reminded (by
ONE OF MY something I need not
YARNS mention) of a trip I
made to Formosa

years ago, in the days when to the
Japanese every journalist was a dis-
tinguished Englishman, and to be
treated as such. I am not denying
that it is possible I told them myself
that I was an especially distinguished
one, just to make sure. Anyway,
there was a sort of guard of honour at
the seaport, and if there wasn't a
special train to Taihoku the capital it
looked like one. There seemed to be
no other passengers. The British
Consul drifted on to the platform, and
of course the Japanese hastened to
introduce us. They thought it the
right thing to do, not knowing what
two strange Englishmen are like on
first meeting. Instead of strik-
ing an attitude of admiration, or
expressing his sense of the honour
done him, the Consul kept a frozen
face, and grunted as if he had a pain
somewhere remote. I didn't feel
snubbed. To me a British Consul is
only a temporary obscuration of the
scenery at any time, and I forget
that they are human, or that they
matter in any way. But I
was sure at the possible feelings of
my amiable host. I didn't want them
to know they had made any mistake.
The Consul got into the train with
me. We were the only two in a big
saloon car. After the Japanese fare-
wells were over, I turned to him. He
had gone to the opposite end of the
car and opened a *Daily Mail*. I went
up to him and standing over him I
said: "Look here. I didn't ask for
that introduction. You should have
guessed that. Don't you dare to
imagine I ever wanted to know you.
What little I've seen of you is quite
enough. As far as I'm concerned I
hope never to see your ugly mug
again. You get the idea? If you
want to say anything now, your
chance." If he had said anything I
was mad enough to hit him for it, but
he didn't. He only grunted again, as
if he had another pain.

In Taihoku I happened to meet the
American Consul, a charming man
with pleasant manners. Purely as a
yarn, I told him about the incident,
told him humorously, all my peave
having gone in the newer, friendlier
atmosphere. Next morning, as I
was going on an expedition escorted
by Japanese officials, I got a
message that the U.S. Consul would
like a word with me before I went. I
met him. "See here," he said. "I'm
not butting in, I hope, but I know
what newspaper men are when they
get sore. Don't be too hard on that
Consul of yours. He's not a bad
fellow when you get to know him."

I roared with laughter. I explained
that by this time I had almost forgot-
ten all about it, and certainly wasn't
sore any more. "Don't you see how
funny it is," I said. "An American
Consul pleading to an Englishman—
for fairness to an English Consul? I
bet he wouldn't take the trouble to
do that for you. However, rest easy.
I have no intention to roast him."

A reader asks me to
FIRE, suggest, seeing that our
fire engines have tanks
which have to be filled before the hose
starts playing, that it would be a good
plan to introduce a chemical
extinguisher into the water. It is a
plausible idea, and I suppose nothing
against it if the expense be not pro-
hibitive, and if the stuff used wouldn't
injure the hose. But on the whole I
think it had better not go in. We
have people who rush into print here
with the most audacious letters, and
some D.F. would be sure to argue as
if we proposed putting tablets in the
tanks. First notice, talking of this
week's fire, one said: "Of course it
would burn fiercely, with such lots of
paper in the place." There is no "of
course" about it. Paper in bulk is
the hardest thing to burn, unless it is
stirred up, sheet from sheet. Almost
anybody knows that, on reflection,
but few remember it.

It is to be noted,
MIGHT HAVE might have been ex-
NERN pected, that some of
the newspaper men
were thankful that several things that
might have happened didn't happen.
One rejoiced that the foliage was
dampish, and so on. If I were minded
to indulge in that game, I would say
how lucky it was that a similar fire
didn't occur simultaneously in another
part of the city. It might have done.
And then how would our fire brigade
have managed? As the *China Mail*
pointed out some time ago, we have
the far-flung dimensions of a city,
with property as costly, and the
fire-fighting provisions of a small
town. The Government will yet have
to spend twice as much on a fire
Department, and to make it a separate
Department at that, independent of
the police.

I hear that some of the
PRETTY small-vocabulary parrots
POLLY are still attributing
Bolshevik tendencies to
me. That is the chief charm of a
parrot, that when it once learns a
word it seldom forgets it. I take my
consolation from the fact that no one
has yet described me as "sound." In
a live community where live news-
papers are possible, that is the final
damnation of a journalist, to be de-
scribed as "sound."

He never says anything
SOUND that he isn't expected to
AND say. He says invariably
SAFE what the least accomplish-
ed parrots desire to be said.
He makes no disturbing ripple on
the pool of silence. He never interrupts
the larded serenity of the non-
intelligent with such a rude, crude
thing as an idea. Sound and safe, he
invariably remembers to remind us
that if the fine weather keeps up
it is unlikely to rain. (Applause.) He
sleeps in a ladylike way the wrists of
those unbefooled by the populace is
not the voice of the people the
veritable voice of God—and he
praises in forceful superlatives the
idols of the mob. He agrees over with
the majority, and the majority finds
him agreeable. He is sound and safe,
which being interpreted means
nothing. He is a harmless sedative
for the intellectually somnolent.
Where does he live? What a silly
question! That isn't living; it is
existing.

I see in the newspapers
AT THE that one man boasted of
FIRE clouting the heads of
timid Chinese firemen, and
another bragged that he had kicked
one. I am a very lazy man, and
disinclined to activity; but if others
will get me the names of those heroes,
and the names or numbers of Chinese
firemen who were assaulted, I will get
busy and try to arrange for suitable
proceedings at the Police Court.

I wasn't there. I had no business
there, and didn't go. I see that
thousands of others who had no
business there were there. What went
they out for to see? A spectacle of
course. Simply that and nothing
more. A something to admire. A
something, judging by the newspaper
reports, even to make jokes about.
Something also to criticize. How
wise are the onlookers about the
work that others are doing. "They
ought to do so-and-so." "Why don't
they . . . ?" And so on. Well,
that is human nature, and nothing
for censure. But these people who
thought they were helping by coward-
ly assaults on men they knew
wouldn't hit back are a different pro-
position. Their loss in the fire wasn't
worth insuring against. I don't care
who they were—they were . . .
You may invert in the bracketed
space an old English noun against
which in print the police are pecu-
liarly prejudiced.

Once in a village in
THINGS Ceylon I called on a
SEEN Buddhist priest—who
showed me his little
temple. After we had washed our
hands and contemplated the Most
Wise and Compassionate, and had
returned to his study, I spoke of the
picture panels we had seen, and asked
how they were reconciled with a
certain prohibition in the scripture.
"I know," the gentle man replied.
"It is wrong; but the poor
people really need things to see, or
they cannot think." In some poor or
poorish homes at Home the little one
has a moneybox, usually with a slot
for the entrance of the savings. The
victor donates a shining shilling or a
fervent penny. The parent retrieves
it from the child, or holds the box and
bids it put it in. Have you ever
noticed the expression on the child's
face at such times? It hovers on
grief. There was a brief glimpse of
treasure, which has vanished. When
having scraped up the remnants of
my income, and perhaps sold some-
thing to augment it to a size worth
putting in the bank, I lapse I feel
much the same. I hand over a bunch
of tangible, visible, money, and am
turned away with an entry in a book.
It is a feeling of loss, of emptiness.
Perhaps this explains misers. Maybe
they are like the people who must see
to realize, people to whom the
abstract is less real than the concrete
which, though they know it not, is
merely symbolic.

Have our local legislators
HELP! gone crazy? Is this a
British Colony? Or did
the Prussians win the war?
I find myself in violent, unhesitating,
determined, shocked and disgusted
opposition to "a Bill introduced
Ordinance to provide for the registra-
tion of certain persons." I consider
it an idiotic example of taking a
hammer to crack an egg. I consider
it a wanton effort to every national
and racial sentiment I was brought
up to cherish. It is bound to make
criminals of quite respectable people.
It is absurdly unnecessary. I find it
very difficult to restrain my
language. It gives the Captain
Superintendent of Police power over
us that he should have only over law-
breakers. It adds one more to the
list of legislative brainstorms of

cerebral typhoons that are rapidly
turning our C.S.P. into a Pooh Bah.
In case we have any more strikes, the
authorities want to know who can
help, and in what ways they can help,
to keep things going. Judging by past
experience, this knowledge could have
been got in the most amicable
and easy way, instead of demanding
and extracting it under penalty. It
is an insult to all the volunteers and
workers in the last strike. Look at
this clause:

(4) Every person shall disclose and
produce to any police officer on de-
mand all documents in the possession
or under the control of such person
tending directly or indirectly to estab-
lish the truth or falsity of any of the
said particulars.

That is English, but it reads like
German. It might have come from
Potdam.

Clause 7 refers to "criminal
proceedings under this Ordinance."
What a juicy way of warning
white and willing men to be careful
how they offer their services to the
community. There is absolutely no
need for this Ordinance at all and it
is a most un-English production. It
smells of officialism gone mad.

Look at the "Second Schedule,"
the form you will have to fill up
(under penalty for error) for the C.S.P.
"If no house telephone number,
number of telephone nearest to re-
sidence."

I groaned when I saw that. What
else could I do, for I am still more or
less sane, I trust. You see the idea.
They may want to rig you up in a
hurry. State number of nearest
phone if you haven't one, and Pooh
Bah will command your neighbour to
run in and tell you you are wanted.
The nearest phone may belong to a
striker, or to a personal enemy of
yours, or to a woman who wants to
marry you. It may belong to any
body. No matter. You must find
out the number, and give it to Pooh
Bah as one that will find you.

"Special qualifications, of whatever
kind, and however slight if at all
above the average, should be given
and in reasonable detail." What? I
ask you, can that mean? I can read
plain English, but that has me guess-
ing. What is the average it talks of
and how do we ascertain it?

I have never felt so sick or ashamed
of any official bungling as of this, pre-
posterous Bill.
Assume that a man puts down that
he has above the average knowledge
of butchering, and the fact is ad-
mitted. Assume that he says: "But
strike or no strike, I'm never going to
butch again. I retired from butch-
ing twenty years ago." This Bill doesn't
touch him. There is no penalty
—yet. Perhaps it is the pre-
liminary to a sort of Industrial
Conscription. Well, they cannot
have that, and they will not
get it. I'll bet on that. So
long as the British flag
flies in London, they shall not have
that, no matter how Prussian-headed
our local legislators may become.

Who was the father of this Bill?
If they will let me have his name, I
think I can make it famous inside
six months, and a household word at
Home, like—like Jack the Ripper.
For he is certainly ripping something.
I complained in a previous para-
graph of being slandered as a Bolshevik.
Sometimes I am haunted by the fear
that I am the sole and only resident
who is not a Bolshevik. The officials
and legislators whom you love and
admire so much have got to prove
their innocence of Bolshevism now, for
these proposals are no less. Industrial
conscription is Bolshevism. It is the
essential principle of Bolshevism, and
I hate it. In Russia they no longer
conscript the farmer, although every-
body else, I believe, is still under it.
They included the farmers at first,
but had to exempt them. Have you
thought why? It is because farm-
ers, like some other works, needs the love
and enthusiasm of the volunteer.
You may conscript an agriculturist
but you cannot make him produce
crops. Crops may fail even with the
trier; but with the conscript any crop
at all would be a fluke. It is the
essence of the work this infamous
Bill is presumably meant to get that
it shall be undertaken cheerfully
and willingly. You were cheer-
ful and willing enough in the
last strike. Why are you now treated
like this?

Assume that I am a slacker who
will not help my neighbour nor myself
in a crisis except under compulsion,
and that this Bill is aimed at me. Is
it reasonable that you should suffer
this trouble, ignominy, and risk in
order that they may get one or two
slackers.
If we have an unofficial legislator
with a mind of his own, now is his
chance to use it. Now is your chance
to use yours. If you take this lying
down, God help you. I can't nor any
other. I do not believe that our
officials and legislators who may be
back of it are deliberately Bolshevistic.
I think they legislate in their sleep
sometimes, and that this is
one of the times. Some
somnolent official had a sort of
half dream that he should be doing
something for his money, and evolved
this marvel. It is old custom that

the phalanx of officials must vote for
anything officially hatched. But if
you all show that you do not
want it they may throw it
out, for they do not want to be
bothered with complaints echoed from
Home. They have a worse name
there already than they fairly deserve.
Their "objects and reasons" this
time read like excuses for unreason.
They offer no reason at all why the
desirable information could not have
been collected as among friends and
colleagues.

If there are any really
patriotic Britons here—who believe
in traditions of liberty and British
ways of doing things—there will be
a big show of protesting letters in the
newspapers. And there should be.
You really should not take this sort
of thing lying down. Object. De-
clare your minds. Let 'em know.

I beg to inform the
WATER Chinese gentleman who
WASTERS discovered holes in the
bottom of T'yan res-
ervoir that he missed the worst.
There is a great big hole at the top
from which water oozes by evapora-
tion. Unless the P.W.D. put a lid
on, we are ruined. I note that at
this interesting meeting there
was a tendency to introduce a
new racial controversy, as
to which community wastes
water. I deprecate that. Every-
body wastes water, and the only
practicable check on waste is the
meter, and the charge for amount used.
It is very awkward, of course,
where flats and tenements are con-
cerned, and only one meter to serve
several families. But away to surmount
that could be found, given the will.
I do say of my own knowledge that
the gentleman who was so indignant
at the suggestion that the Chinese
waste water got angry without
cause. They do waste it. No Chinese
servant thinks of reporting a leaky
tap, or even of taking care to close a
tap properly. I do not deny that
European waste water. As I said be-
fore, everybody does, except one or
two like myself who know how really
precious it is, from having had to
draw it from wells, or fetch it, some
distance. Just now the poorer
Chinese who are getting their water
from street fountains may be
acquitted of suspicion. They are
having to pay three cents per bucket
to the carriers, or something like that,
and are not likely to waste it. But
normally they do. They will use a
dozen buckets to sluice a verandah
when two would do, if they got down
to it with a floor cloth.

Curious story that
A CEYLON was reproduced in
MAGAZINE Thursday's *China
Mail* from the
Ceylon Observer, about a sort of
a holy man and a snake. He told the
Observer reporter that he would cut
the snake into five parts, and find six.
It would be a miracle. "How can
five parts turn into six?" asked the
simple pressman, not remembering
that five eights (which is probably what
the arithmetical maker really said)
would produce six eighths. If you
take a six foot snake, and cut it into
foot lengths, you'll find that you need
not only five times.

It appears to be well
known established that some of
our gun men are in the habit
of leaving their weapons in the
custody of houseboys till they
want them again, searching being less
likely in boys' quarters than elsewhere.
Employers might do worse than look-
see and report. We have been accus-
tomed to suppose that our armed
criminals are mostly outsiders,
bandits from the disturbed provinces,
but it now appears that regular
residents are in the game. A recent
case, in which daggers, and a deadly
mixture of ground glass and pepper,
were impounded, showed that men
with good and regular jobs were
carrying on dexterity as a side line.

BANK NOTES.

Returns of the Average Amount of
Bank Notes in Circulation and of
Specie in Reserve in Hongkong,
during the month ended 31st July,
as certified by the Managers of the
respective Banks:

Banks	Average Amount	Specie in Reserve
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,	\$9,742,633	\$ 5,000,000
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank- ing Corporation,	37,442,000	20,000,000
Merchants Bank of India, Limited,	1,281,610	650,000
Total,	\$17,466,243	\$31,650,000

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SWATOW TYPHOON.

TREMENDOUS HAVOC CAUSED.

CASUALTIES PLACED AT 5000

TOWN A COMPLETE WRECK.

The s.s. "Kueichow" arrived in port this morning after having been through the typhoon at Swatow. Officers and passengers of the vessel have interesting stories to tell of the happenings at that port on this tragic Wednesday night.

The progress of the typhoon can be easily traced by the information logged by the Chief Officer of the vessel. The "Kueichow" arrived at Swatow on Wednesday afternoon and during the evening the weather began freshen up. At 8 p.m. the wind had increased in force. The report then read on:—

10.30. Wind increasing to typhoon with heavy showers of rain. The barometer has ceased to register.

9.35. Wind fallen to light and moving throughout E. to S. E.

0.40. Wind freshening from S.S.W. and increasing in force. Squalls increasing.

2.30. Wind reached its full force. 2.30 to 3.10 terrific typhoon force without lull. Deluge of rain.

From this time the wind gradually died down till a moderate gale was blowing. At daylight it was seen that Swatow had been very badly damaged.

A passenger by the ship who was on shore during the typhoon gave a graphic description of the terrible havoc wrought by the wind and water. He said that to walk through Swatow now was almost the same as walking through Ypres. Scarcely a building in the place has escaped damage. Roofs have been blown off and walls levelled.

The Club is an absolute wreck with just the wall standing. No Europeans have been killed. In one place a telegraph post had been lifted clean out of the ground and flung over the other wires a distance of fifteen feet from the ground. Godowns belonging to Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, with their pontoons and gangways leading on to them have been badly smashed. All along the sea front are piles of wreckage over five feet high while far inland streets are block by sampans carried there by the waves.

According to this informant four ships went ashore. One the "Wah Ming" has been got off, but the "Shantung," "Tung Sang" and "Prometheus" are still ashore. The "Shantung" seems to be on sand but is damaged about the bows while the "Tung Sang" appears to be on the rocks.

It is estimated that the water rose from seven to nine feet while one lady recounts that in her house the water rose six feet up the walls in fifteen minutes.

Information received here this morning from the Kueichang stated that the casualties were estimated at 5000.

As the Kueichang was coming to Hongkong it was observed that the light houses on the Cape of Good Hope and Sugar Loaf had suffered badly, losing their roofs.

Swatow after the visitation is summed up in three words "An absolute shambles."

THE "CITROEN" CAR.

HONGKONG AGENCY ESTABLISHED.

Mr. A. M. Scollier, special representative of the firm of Andre Citroen, makers of the famous French Light cars was here last week, and left on Saturday after making arrangements with Messrs. Britto & Co., Ltd. appointing them as sole Agents for his firm.

The Citroen which has never been introduced here before, is a nice light car, effects economy in tyres, oil, and petrol, and is remarkably easily handled in a busy thoroughfare, and it should speedily become one of the most popular light cars on the local market. A small four cylinder car, it comes in the minimum tax class and Mr. Scollier feels that the Citroen with its 30 inch wheelbase and 45 inch tread is particularly adapted to the roads of the country in South China.

One Coupe de Ville—a magnificent model—will shortly arrive in Hongkong and Messrs. Britto & Co. have also ordered some of the new model two seater cars, which being very strong, cheap and economical, ought to meet with a big demand.

HONGKONG TRADE.

EFFECT OF CARGOMEN'S STRIKE.

The fortnightly report issued by the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce states:—

Cotton piece goods and fancy cotton goods.—Some forward sales of Mercerized Broadens are reported during the interval. Greys and Whites are entirely neglected.

Cotton Yarn.—The situation of the market has become worse through the lightermen's demand regarding charges, which is interfering with the trade to a great extent, and practically no business has been effected. Prices are easier by about \$2 and quotations are purely nominal.

Quotations are:—
No. 10s \$152 178. No. 12s \$162 182. No. 16s \$192 218. No. 20s \$194 218.

Arrivals 19,200. Shipments nil. Sales 1,000 bales.

Unsold stock 17,000 bales. Bargains 10,000 bales.

Woolen's.—There is no change in the market.

Raw cottons.—There is no business to report. Quotations: Indian descriptions at \$ 37. Chinese Staple \$33/40 per picul.

Metals.—Nothing doing.

Petroleum Products.—No change.

Flour market report:—Stock: about 700,000 sacks.

Quotations: American patent \$3.80 per sack; American straight 2.70 per sack; American cut off 2.75 per sack; Shanghai flour 2.95 per sack; Australian No. 1, 2.80 per sack.

Window Glass.—Market weak due to absence of consumptive demand.

CANTON NEWS.

TSZEHENG CAPTURED.

A cable received here last night announced that Tszeheng has been captured by General Chan Kwing ming's troops after prolonged fighting. General Hui Song-chi's Northern Expeditionary Army was completely routed and fled in disorder to Namhung. Many prisoners were taken, also large quantities of military equipment were seized, including many field guns.

The situation at other points is reported unchanged, and fighting had been slack for the past two days, both armies concentrating their strength on the Tszeheng engagement, which had always been looked upon as the deciding factor of the fighting.

PECK'S BAD BOY.

CHARMING CORONET FILM.

Coronet audiences are thoroughly enjoying "Peck's Bad Boy," the delightful picture which features as the star artist young Jackie Coogan, the small youngster who finds himself famous at the tender age of six as the result of his phenomenally successful appearance in "The Kid" with Charlie Chaplin.

In "Peck's Bad Boy" young Jackie is the same lovable, round-faced youngster who smashed windows and dodged policemen in "The Kid." He betrays the same endearing naughtiness. There is the occasion, for instance, when he takes a pocketful of ants to church and lets them run free over the congregation just as the preacher is announcing his text, "Go to the ant, thou sluggard." He does not however, monopolize the limelight altogether. His sister and her young man figure prominently in the film as the parties to a very pretty told love story.

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OUR WATER SUPPLY.

FIGURE FOR JULY.

The water return for July shows storage in the reservoirs on the island of 821.59 million gallons as compared with 2,311.14 million gallons for the same period in 1921. On the Mainland the storage is 165.14 against 352.50 last year. Consumption on the Island amounted to 196.51 million gallons or 17.5 gallons per head per day, as compared with 284.32 million gallons or 26.0 gallons per head in 1921. On the Mainland consumption amounted to 31.40 million gallons or 7.4 gallons per head per day as against 57.50 million gallons or 14.7 gallons per head last year. The Government Analyst's report shows that the water is of excellent quality.

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TO-DAY'S NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

INDIAN RECREATION CLUB.

THE Committee and Members extend a cordial welcome to their friends to their "AT HOME" on their Club's ground at Pokungo Valley, TO-DAY, at 4 p.m.

D. RUMJAHN, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, August 5, 1922.

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PROPOSAL TO CHANGE A SHIP'S NAME.

I, GEORGE WINSTANLEY BARTON, of Douglas Lapraik & Co., General Managers of Douglas Steamship Company, Ltd. of Hongkong, hereby give notice that in consequence of a wish to have the below-mentioned Steamer carry a similar name to other Steamers of the Douglas Steamship Company, Ltd. I have applied to the Board of Trade, under Section 47 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, in respect of the ship "TUNGUS" of Tonsberg, Official No. 74812 of Gross tonnage 1825.30 tons, Register tonnage 1052 tons, heretofore owned by Wilhelmssen's Dampskibsselskab for permission to change her name to "HAIFOONG" and to have her registered in the new name at the port of Hongkong as owned by the Douglas Steamship Company, Ltd.

Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Registrar of Shipping at Hongkong within Seven (7) days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Hongkong this 5th day of August, 1922.

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SWATOW AND AMOY	KIUNGCHOW	August 6th 2 p.m.	
SWATOW AND SHANGHAI	CHUPKIANG	August 6th 4 p.m.	
HOIHOW, PAIKHOI AND HAIPHONG	KAIFONG	August 6th 6 p.m.	
SWATOW, SHANGHAI AND TSINGTAO	LIANGCHOW	August 8th 2 p.m.	
SWATOW AND BANGKOK	KAYEN	August 8th 4 p.m.	
WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	KUMCHOW	August 8th 6 p.m.	
AMOY AND SHANGHAI	SOCHOW	August 10th 9 a.m.	
SHANGHAI AND TSINGTAO	BANGKOW	August 10th 4 p.m.	
MANILA, CEBU AND HONOLULU	TAIANG	August 12th 4 p.m.	

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PASSENGERS.

VESSELS DUE

FROM SHANGHAI.

Sept. 11.—B. F. Teirolas.

Aug. 15.—B. F. Ningchow.

22.—P. & O. Davao.

Sept. 4.—B. F. Mach on.

12.—P. & O. Kalyan.

16.—P. & O. Macdonald.

Oct. 10.—P. & O. Flissy.

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"JEYPORE"	6,750	20th Aug.	do.
"DEVANHA"	6,802	30th Aug.	do.
"NOVARIA"	6,850	10th Sept.	do.
"MACEDONIA"	10,512	27th Sept.	B'way, Varesillo, L'bon, A'warp.
"BALVAN"	8,487	11th Oct.	MARSHALLS, LONDON & A'warp.
"DONGOLA"	8,558	20th Oct.	do.
"KHYBER"	8,590	30th Oct.	do.
"NANING"	7,990	20th Nov.	do.
"KARMAIA"	9,000	30th Dec.	B'way, Varesillo, L'bon, A'warp.
"KASHGAR"	9,000	20th Dec.	MARSHALLS, LONDON & A'warp.
"PLASSY"	7,393	30th Jan. 1923	do.

BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS (South)

"TANDA"	6,056	18th August	Calcutta via Straits and Penang.
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EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (South)

"EASTERN"	4,000	31st August	Malta, Thursday Island, Cairns, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney & Melbourne.
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"GREGORY ATJAR"	4,619	7th Aug.	Amoy, Shanghai and Kobe.
"NOVARIA"	6,850	10th Aug.	Shanghai and Japan.
"TAKADA"	6,619	10th Aug.	Shanghai and Japan.
"BALVAN"	8,487	20th Aug.	Shanghai and Japan.

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PERIA MARU	22,000	August 10th 10.0 a.m.
TAIYO MARU	22,000	Sept. 9th.
SHIRAKA MARU	22,000	Sept. 23rd.
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SEIYO MARU	18,000	Nov. 15th.

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SWATOW.

Aug. 8.-O.S.K. Onshu Maru.
8.-O.N. Kungchow.
7.-O.M. Armanestan.
7.-O.S.N. Yatsing.
8.-O.S.N. Tongshing.
8.-O.L. Liangchow.
8.-O.N. Kaping.
10.-O.S.K. Soshu Maru.

AMOI.

Aug. 8.-O.S.K. Onshu Maru.
8.-O.N. Kungchow.
7.-O.M. Armanestan.
7.-O.S.N. Yatsing.
8.-O.S.N. Tongshing.
8.-O.L. Liangchow.
8.-O.N. Kaping.
10.-O.S.K. Soshu Maru.

FOOCHOW.

Aug. 8.-D.L. Haiching.

SHANGHAI.

Aug. 6.-O.N. Shan'ung.
6.-O.S.N. Tongshing.
6.-O.N. Kungchow.
6.-O.S.K. Tinnanok.
10.-O.P.S. Empress of Russia.
10.-O.M. Nanking.
10.-A.L. Pres. Grant.
11.-O.S.N. Washington.
11.-N.Y.K. Bujo Maru.
12.-O.N. Kanchow.
12.-P. & O. Kalyon.
12.-T.K.K. Shinyo Maru.
12.-C.N. Kachima Maru.
17.-B.F. Tereias.
19.-L.T. Tracia.
23.-P.M. Pres. Lincoln.
23.-O.P.S. Empress of Australia.
24.-A.L. Plassy.
25.-T. & O. Empress of Asia.
8.-B.F. Pelous.
9.-P. & O. Maceonia.
9.-T.K.K. Taiyo Maru.
13.-P.M. Pres. Cleveland.
13.-O.M. China.
20.-T.K.K. Siberia Maru.
20.-C.M. Nile.
Oct. 4.-P.M. Pres. Wilson.
18.-T.K.K. Korea Maru.

TSINGTAI.

Aug. 6.-O.N. Shantung.
6.-O.S.N. Tongshing.
6.-O.N. Kungchow.
11.-O.S.N. Yatsing.
12.-O.N. Kanchow.

WEIHAIWEI.

Aug. 8.-O.N. Kueichow.

TIENTSIN.

Aug. 8.-O.N. Kueichow.

NINGPO.

Aug. 11.-O.S.N. Wanshing.

KEELUNG.

Aug. 6.-O.S.K. Onshu Maru.
18.-N.Y.K. Kaga Maru.
Sept. 9.-T.K.K. Taiyo Maru.
Oct. 18.-T.K.K. Korea Maru.

PAKHOI.

Aug. 8.-O.N. Kueichow.

CHEFOO.

Aug. 8.-O.N. Kueichow.

HAIPHONG.

Aug. 8.-O.N. Kueichow.

HOIHOW.

Aug. 8.-O.N. Kueichow.

HAIPHONG VIA HOIHOW.

Aug. 10.-O.S.N. Leasing.

SAIGON.

Aug. 8.-M.M. Andre Leb.
22.-O.S.K. Bushu Maru.

BANGKOK.

Aug. 7.-O.S.N. Yatsing.
8.-O.N. Kueichow.
Sept. 1.-O.S.K. Bushu Maru.

SINGAPORE.

Aug. 6.-N.Y.K. Haruna Maru.
7.-O.M. Armanestan.
7.-K.P.M. Van Overstraten.
7.-B.F. Kachima.
8.-M.M. Andre Leb.
9.-P.M. Lako Faulk.
10.-N.Y.K. Akita Maru.
11.-P. & O. Jason.
12.-B.F. Argon Maru.
14.-O.S.K. Soshu Maru.
15.-B.F. Sardinia.
16.-P. & O. Sicilia.
20.-H.E.A.L. Zoma.
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29.-P. & O. B'way Maru.
30.-O.S.K. Daway.
2.-G.L. Glenelue.
4.-E.A. Peru.
4.-R.F. Theous.
7.-B.F. Ningschow.
7.-B.F. Kachima.
11.-H.E.A.L. Sembilan.
25.-B.F. Tereias.
26.-E.A. India.
27.-P. & O. Macedonia.
Oct. 11.-P. & O. Plassy.
20.-P. & O. Yuenang.
Nov. 8.-O.S.N. Khyber.
18.-E.A. Panama.
20.-P. & O. Nanking.
Dec. 6.-P. & O. Kachima.
20.-P. & O. Plassy.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, ETC.

MANILA.

Aug. 12.-S. & D. Boardport.
14.-A.L. Pres. Jefferson.
15.-N.Y.K. Akita Maru.
16.-B.F. Ixion.
Sept. 2.-S. & D. Daway.
12.-B.F. Tereias.
19.-P.M. Pros. Harrison.
19.-N.Y.K. Tango Maru.
Oct. 6.-P.M. President Hayes.

SANDAKAN.

Aug. 14.-O.S.N. Mawang.

JAVA PORTS, ETC.

Aug. 7.-O.M. Armanestan.
7.-K.P.M. Van Overstraten.
10.-O.S.K. Tinnanok.
11.-O.S.N. Washington.
12.-S. & D. Daway.
22.-N.Y.K. Formosa Maru.
Sept. 2.-S. & D. Daway.

INDIAN PORTS, ETC.

CALCUTTA.

Aug. 6.-N.Y.K. Malacca Maru.
6.-P.M. Lako Faulk.
19.-O.S.N. Leasing.

BOMBAY AND COLOMBO.

Aug. 8.-M.M. Andre Leb.
8.-N.Y.K. Honolulu Maru.
10.-N.Y.K. Akita Maru.
16.-P. & O. Sicilia.
21.-M.M. Corbiera.
22.-B.I. Jeppoon.
Dec. 6.-P. & O. Kachima.

AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

Aug. 12.-A.O. Changala.
15.-N.Y.K. Akita Maru.
Sept. 19.-N.Y.K. Tango Maru.

JAPAN PORTS.

Aug. 6.-O.S.K. Tinnanok.
7.-B.I. Gregory Apar.
10.-O.P.S. Empress of Russia.
10.-O.M. Nanking.
10.-A.L. Pres. Grant.
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Oct. 4.-P.M. Pres. Wilson.
18.-T.K.K. Korea Maru.

HONOLULU.

Aug. 23.-P.M. Pres. Lincoln.
27.-T.K.K. Ginyo Maru.
29.-T.K.K. Persia Maru.
Sept. 1.-P.M. Wolverine State.
2.-P.M. Pres. Harrison.
9.-T.K.K. Taiyo Maru.
13.-P.M. Pres. Cleveland.
23.-T.K.K. Siberia Maru.
30.-O.M. Nile.
Oct. 4.-P.M. Pres. Wilson.
6.-P.M. Pros. Hayes.
9.-T.K.K. Anyo Maru.

PORTLAND.

Aug. 11.-Col. Pac. S. West Kent.

AMERICAN PORTS.

VANCOUVER, ETC.

Aug. 10.-O.P.S. Empress of Russia.
18.-N.Y.K. Kaga Maru.
2.-O.S.K. Arizona Maru.
24.-O.P.S. Empress of Australia.
29.-B.F. Ixion.
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16.-N.Y.K. Iyo Maru.
19.-B.F. Tallyhubb.
Oct. 5.-O.P.S. Empress of Canada.
11.-O.P.S. Empress of Russia.
19.-O.P.S. Empress of Australia.

VICTORIA.

Aug. 10.-A.L. Pres. Grant.
11.-A.L. Pres. Jefferson.
18.-N.Y.K. Kaga Maru.
22.-B.F. Ixion.
Sept. 18.-N.Y.K. Iyo Maru.
19.-N.Y.K. Tallyhubb.

SEATTLE.

Aug. 10.-A.L. Pres. Grant.
18.-N.Y.K. Kaga Maru.
22.-B.F. Ixion.
Sept. 18.-N.Y.K. Iyo Maru.
19.-N.Y.K. Tallyhubb.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Aug. 10.-O.M. Nanking.
11.-T.K.K. Shinyo Maru.
21.-P. & O. Apus.
27.-P.M. Pres. Lincoln.
27.-T.K.K. Anyo Maru.
29.-T.K.K. Persia Maru.
Sept. 1.-D.L. Basis Dollar.
7.-O.S.K. Empress of Asia.
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LOS ANGELES.

Aug. 21.-S. & D. Apus.
Sept. 2.-S. & D. West Ivan.

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Oct. 9.-T.K.K. Anyo Maru.
Nov. 19.-T.K.K. Bujo Maru.

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Aug. 13.-A.L. Suruga.
(Via Suez)
Aug. 3.-D.L. Egmont Castle.
12.-O.S.K. Haguro Maru.
15.-B.F. Tereias.
22.-B.F. City of Bagdad.
27.-D.L. Esther Dollar.
30.-T.S.S. Victoria.
Oct. 23.-D.L. Diana Dollar.

BOSTON.

Aug. 8.-D.L. Egmont Castle.
27.-D.L. Esther Dollar.
Oct. 23.-D.L. Diana Dollar.

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Sept. 5.-L.T. Tracia.

VALENCIA.

Aug. 23.-H.A. Emden.

GENOA.

Aug. 14.-B.F. Koonun.
27.-D.L. Esther Dollar.
29.-G.L. Glenelue.
Sept. 1.-E.A. Peru.
7.-B.F. Ningschow.
15.-E.A. Africa.
30.-E.A. Java.
Oct. 21.-E.A. Asia.
23.-D.L. Diana Dollar.
Nov. 23.-E.A. Panama.

MARSEILLES.

Aug. 6.-N.Y.K. Haruna Maru.
8.-M.M. Andre Leb.
14.-B.F. Kachima.
15.-P. & O. Sardinia.
21.-B.F. Macthon.
22.-M.M. Corbiera.
27.-D.L. City of Manchester.
30.-P. & O. Plassy.
Sept. 4.-E.A. Peru.
7.-B.F. Ningschow.
13.-P. & O. Kalyon.
29.-E.A. India.
27.-P. & O. Macedonia.
Oct. 11.-P. & O. Plassy.
21.-E.A. Asia.
23.-D.L. Diana Dollar.
Nov. 8.-P. & O. Khyber.
22.-P. & O. Nanking.
Dec. 6.-P. & O. Kachima.
20.-P. & O. Kachima.
Jan. 2.-P. & O. Plassy.

ST. NAZAIRE.

Sept. 23.-E.A. India.
Oct. 21.-E.A. Asia.
Nov. 12.-E.A. Panama.

HAVRE.

Aug. 14.-B.F. Koonun.
21.-B.F. Macthon.

LONDON.

Aug. 6.-N.Y.K. Haruna Maru.
7.-B.F. Kachima.
14.-B.F. Argon Maru.
16.-P. & O. Sardinia.
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Jan. 2.-P. & O. Plassy.

LIVERPOOL.

Aug. 14.-B.F. Koonun.
21.-B.F. Macthon.
Sept. 7.-B.F. Ningschow.

HULL.

Aug. 8.-B.F. Koonun.

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Sept. 7.-B.F. Ningschow.

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CHILDREN'S CORNER.

BLOWING GLASS.

"Gordon you must be more careful," said his mother severely as he dropped a tumbler on to the floor and it broke up into little bits.

"I'm sorry Mother," he said, "it is a good thing though that we have plenty more. There is a whole cupboard full of glass."

"Yes but have you ever thought how long glass takes to make and how much trouble is spent over it," said his mother. "And then you smash it up in a minute!"

"Why how is it made Mother? ask Gordon, who always liked to know the beginnings of things and had never thought that glass took long to make."

"It is made from sand," she told him.

"Sand?" exclaimed Gordon, "What a queer thing because you can see through glass and sand is quite thick. How is it done?"

"The sand is made very hot in a vessel called a retort," his mother told him, "until it looks like steel, and then the glass blower dips a steel pipe into it. A blob of the liquid hangs on to the end and he blows it as you do soap bubbles."

"But how can he make it into all the different shapes?" asked Gordon, who thought that it sounded a very difficult sort of job. "Can anyone do it?"

"No indeed they cannot," laughed his mother. "Glass blowing is by no means easy and needs a highly skilled man. He spins it and moulds it when it is hot until he has made what he wants. One day you shall go to a glass factory and then you will see for yourself that it takes some time."

"Yes I can quite believe that it does," said Gordon, who had never heard about this before.

PETER P.N.

A HOME MADE GARDEN FOR A DOLL'S HOUSE.

A pretty little garden can easily be made out of the lid of an old cardboard box.

Spread some gum on the box lid and on this sprinkle sand to make winding paths and heap it up for flower beds, after which stick in tiny coloured flowers made from scraps of paper. You can make a lawn in the same way by cutting up some grass finely and sprinkling it on the gummy surface.

For a pond, paint a patch of blue for water and surround it by a fence made of matches with a piece of cotton wound in an 'out for a railing. It is best to push the matches into small holes made through the cardboard.

A summer house is easily made with cardboard walls and roof. If you want to thatch it take some of the white shavings which you find in chocolate boxes and colour them brown by dipping them in coffee or paint and water and gum them on to the roof. Beaches for the inside can be made out of cardboard.

Any small bits of tree or bushes can be stuck into the cardboard for trees. Do not forget to cut a gateway in the surrounding fence (which is the

upturned edge of the box) and you can make a gatepost with bits of coloured wood and hang a small paper lantern over the gate. There is a plant known as the Cape Gooseberry the flowers of which are exactly like tiny orange Japanese lanterns and one of these, if you can get it, looks delightful.

When your garden is ready place it in front of your doll's house and you will find that it looks quite nice.

PETER PAN.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Arthur White. Thank you very much for the photograph which I was delighted to have. Nigger looks a dear. I have a dog too but he is a chow and is called Paul.

Olive White. Thank you for your letter. I thought of you on Saturday and wondered whether you were able to go for your picnic after all because it was not a very nice day. Anyway if you did go I hope that you enjoyed it.

Jean Ho Tung.—I am so glad that you liked the mandarin better than the little ivory lady and it was lucky that you each had the one that you liked best.

Grace Ho Tung.—I am so pleased that you like your prize and it is a good thing that you are able to get another paper now and so can go in for the next competition. I do not like the typhoons either and am always sorry when they stop, the bathing.

Edna Cowen.—I am pleased to have your letter too and to know that you liked the story of "The Fairy Ship" so much.

What pen ought never to be used for writing?
A sheep pen.

HIDDEN NAMES COMPETITION.

LASTING TEN WEEKS.
FOURTH WEEK.

This is an example of a hidden name—"I rode on a camel said the man." The answer you see is "Ela." (Camel).

HIDDEN NAME. Do you know any German? Only ja nein and a few other words.

ANSWER.
NAME.
AGE.
ADDRESS.

Cut this out and keep it carefully until after Saturday, November 25th when I want you to send it to "Peter Pan, c/o The Editor, The China Mail Office."

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"THE CAULIFLOWERS."

NEW REGIMENT FOR CHINA.

LOYAL NORTH LANCASHIRES.

Cabling information of Military movements in the immediate future on July 31, Reuters mentioned, among others, the 1st Battalion of the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, which has been detailed for duty in North China.

A China Mail reporter interviewed Lieut.-Col. Nicholson D.S.O., the D.A. and C.M.G., to gather more information.

Col. Nicholson said that while the "Loyals" cannot yet be said to be definitely coming to China, as Reuters cable indicated, he had received cabled information of the regiment's pending appointment to this Command, but until the official communication from the War Office confirming the appointment reaches Headquarters here, the movement of the regiment can only be regarded as "projected."

However, he personally did not doubt that the appointment would ultimately be confirmed, so that it could safely be taken for granted that the "Loyals" are coming out; and may be Reuters's news was based on more definite information than he at present had.

Asked if the appointment were confirmed, how soon did he think the regiment would arrive here, Col. Nicholson said he doubted it would be this year at all. Perhaps early in January.

The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment was formed in 1881, prior to which the 1st Battalion, which was raised in 1741 was known from 1782 to 1881 as the 47th (Lancashire) Regiment of Foot; and the 2nd Battalion which was raised in 1793, as a militia battalion, and was known from 1833 to 1881 as the 61st (Loyal Lincolnshire Volunteers) Regiment of Foot. The title of "Loyal" was bestowed on this battalion as an honour when it volunteered en bloc for active service in 1833. The title was continued when it became joined to the North Lancashire Regiment, as the 2nd battalion in 1881.

The emblem which is borne on the regimental colours is the Red Rose of Lancaster, while the collar badge is the Arms of the City of Lincoln.

The regiment's battle honours are: "Louisburg," "Quebec," 1759, "Maida," "Corunna," "Tarifa," "Victoria," "St. Sebastian," "Nive," "Peninsula," "Ava," "Alma," "Inkerman," "Sevastopol," "Ali Musjid," "Afghanistan," 1878-79, "South Africa," 1899-1902, and "Defence of Kimberley."

In peace time, its uniform is scarlet with white facings; and it is now the only regiment bearing the title of "Loyal" and the only one having "Defence of Kimberley" on its colours, it being the regiment which supplied the bulk of the troops defending the town. General Wolfe served in the regiment (47th), and one of its officers, Lieut.-Col. Hale (47th) raised the 17th Lancers in Hertfordshire in 1759. Hale had served under Wolfe at Quebec, and brought home the despatches announcing the capture of that fortress.

The nick names of the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment are: "Wolfe's Own," "The Cauliflowers" and "The Lancashire Lads."

During the Great War the regiment served with great distinction in Europe and Africa.

The 1st Battalion which is at present in Constantinople is commanded by Lieut.-Col. E. W. Woodward, D.S.O.

The other officers are: Majors R. H. Fitzpatrick, C.B.E., D.S.O., A.W. Colley and C.V.M. Bell, C.B.E.

Captains R. J. W. Spread, C.B.E., M.C., E. F. Cunningham, S. H. Batty-Smith, A.R. Baro D.S.O., M.C., G. E. Bowden, M.C., J. Lindsell, M.C., E. G. Rivers, M.B.E., M.C., and Douglas-Stephenson, M.C. (Adjutant).

Lieutenants G. H. Tinsent, M.C., R. H. Rathbone, M. Ellington, M.C.,

MOTOR FATALITY.

POLICE INSPECTOR EXONERATED.

At an inquest held yesterday on a Chinese youth who was killed through colliding whilst riding a bicycle, with a motor car driven by Inspector Grant, a verdict of accidental death was returned.

Mr. M. K. Lo, appearing for the relatives of the deceased, addressed the jury.

He said there were two theories of the accident; that put forward by Sub-Inspector Grant, who said that he was going along Jordan Road and wanted to turn to Canton Road, and that he met the deceased coming from the direction of Teim Sha Teui towards Yaumati. The deceased somehow passed him safely and he was then in the middle of Canton Road and found that the cyclist had swerved round in front of the car. There was a collision. The deceased was apparently on the left side of the road. The theory was put forward by an eye-witness, a Chinese woman bricklayer, who said that the accident happened in this wise: The Inspector wanted to turn into Canton Road, but, instead of keeping to his left and making a big curve, he took the corner sharp. The deceased was coming down Canton Road from Yaumati to Teim Sha Teui. The collision took place about 15 feet from the curb. It was for the jury to say which of these theories was correct.

Before the jury could find the deceased met his death by the first theory, they must explain away two points: (1) that the deceased, though an expert cyclist, did a thing which no rational being would do; (2) that the nature of the injuries received shows he was knocked on the right side where he must have been knocked down on the left side according to this theory.

The Coroner, in summing up reviewed the evidence, and said that the jury had to answer the following questions:—(1) Was the story as told by Inspector Grant a true account of the accident? (2) If so, was he in any way to blame? If they believed the other story, that the deceased was approaching the corner from the north, was Inspector Grant responsible for the accident?

The jury would not have to answer the third question if they answered the first question in the affirmative and the second in the negative. If, however, the jury attached any blame to Inspector Grant they would have to answer a fourth question as to whether Inspector Grant was to blame for culpable negligence. The Coroner defined culpable negligence as reckless want of care. If Inspector Grant cut the corner fine on the wrong side of the road he committed an unlawful act. Similarly if he rounded the corner in a reckless way the jury would return a verdict of manslaughter. If they attached no blame to Inspector Grant the verdict would be accidental death. Similarly, if the jury considered Inspector Grant was in some measure to blame, which could not be termed negligible or culpable, the jury would be entitled to add a rider to their verdict.

The jury after fifteen minutes' absence returned to Court and the foreman (Mr. Bevan) announced that the jury's answer to No. 1, question was: "Yes" and to No. 2, question: "No." The foreman said they wished to express their sympathy with the widow and the deceased's relatives.

The Coroner: I will record your verdict as "accidental death."

B.O. Ward, W.H. Kingsberry, M.B.E., J.G. Sandie, M.C., R. M. Gidlow, Jackson, A.E. Bulling, A.V. Deaton, G.W. Gibson and E.C. Howe.

2nd Lieutenants H.A.C. Hodgson and H. O. Robinson.

Quartermaster, Capt. J. W. Atherley.

BOMBS IN MACAO.

WORK OF CHINESE.

STORY OF THE OUTRAGE.

Following the return of Macao to normal after the recent rioting there, a brief, but disconcerting communication reached here yesterday of a bombing outrage in the Portuguese Colony on Thursday. The cable information was every meagre, but that there had been another serious outbreak of lawlessness in the City was evident, and excitement ran high among the local Portuguese community when the information was made known. Rumour soon became active, and various stories were current in town yesterday.

The first connected story of what actually occurred was received here with the arrival of the Steamboat Company's steamer yesterday evening.

Various informants who arrived by the boat, described the outrage as a sequel to the recent trouble in the City, and an attempt to intimidate the Chinese shopkeepers, most of whom have returned to Macao and resumed business since the commencement of hostilities between Chan and Sun in Canton.

The excitement started at 9 o'clock and continued until nearly daybreak. There was considerable panic in the City, especially among the Chinese population, who were so scared that most of them suspended business the whole of yesterday.

At least seven bombs were thrown, it was said, and considerable damage was done. One bomb was thrown into the Victoria Cinema and another into the Military Club, both of which were reduced to ruins. The bombs were thrown almost simultaneously in various parts of the City, which showed that it was a very carefully planned plot, and it was carried out so quiet that the victims in each case were taken by surprise. All the outlaws responsible for the outrage managed to elude the police. In two cases bombs were thrown in Chinese business premises which had reopened in spite of the fact that the general strike which was proclaimed at the recent troubles, had not yet been suspended. The headquarters of a Labour Guild which did not take any notice of the strike proclamation, was also wrecked.

The bombs used in the outrage were said to be of a very inferior type, which accounted for the fact that the buildings in the immediate vicinity of those affected suffered little or no damage.

Although they had no scruples about committing murder, the bombers were apparently unprepared for wholesale slaughter, for in at least one instance—the Victoria Cinema—someone went in and gave a word of warning, which caused the audience to leave the place hurriedly before the bomb exploded.

Most of the informants agreed that the first bomb was exploded at No. 31-33, Rua da Palma, in premises occupied by the Nam Hing firm of general storekeepers. In this case a Chinese is said to have come into the shop carrying a basket of potatoes. After making a small purchase, he made some excuse for leaving the basket in the shop, promising to call for it later.

A couple of minutes after the man had gone the shopkeeper noticed smoke issuing from among the potatoes and decided to get rid of the basket. He was carrying it into the street when the bomb exploded, injuring him terribly in the abdomen. He is now in hospital in a very critical condition and is not expected to live.

The man's wife and children who were in the shop at the time were also injured, but not seriously.

In the Tai Hong Hotel, a room was engaged and a bomb placed under the bed. It exploded after the customer had gone out and wrecked the room. Owing to its inferior quality this bomb did not explode fully, consequently the building was saved from more serious damage.

Simultaneously there was a loud explosion in the headquarters of the Chuen Yi General Labour Association. The bomb was dropped on the ground floor which was completely wrecked.

Another bomb fell near the Water Police Station, and it is thought by some that this had reference to the fact that the recent shooting of a mob occurred in this vicinity. Others, however, thought that the bomb was intended for the residence of the

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In the case of the Victoria Cinema, not all who claim to have been there agree that there had been a preliminary warning. One bomb exploded near the operating-box, but the operator escaped injury owing to the fact that he was closed in by fireproof iron walls. The three explosions which occurred within a second of each other caused a tremendous roar which could be heard all over the City.

A few seconds later a bomb went off in the Luching Cafe but this caused only a small explosion and did very slight damage. Although there were a few customers in the place, no one was injured.

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Commissioner of Police which was not far away.

The bombers turned their attention lastly to the Military Club. A bomb exploded here and had for more serious effect than the others. The building was totally wrecked, both the roof and the walls collapsed and a large shell pit was made in the ground. There were not many people on the premises at the time, for the soldiers had all been called out to help the police and fire brigade when the trouble first started. An exact retelling of the casualties was not available, but it is estimated at seven wounded, the most serious case being that of the shopkeeper. As far as is known no one was killed.

The police, soldiers and firemen were kept busy all night by the incidents and there was great excitement among the civilian population.

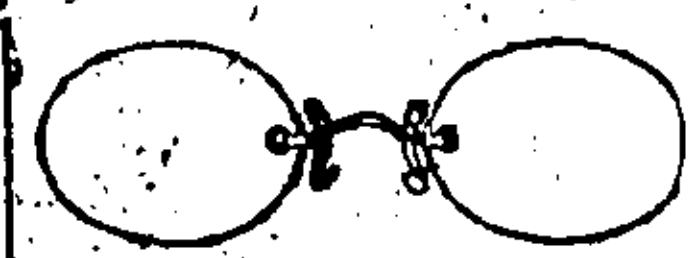
Yesterday morning, however, the City resumed a fairly normal aspect as far as the Europeans were concerned and even fire crackers were let off to welcome back a member of the Colonial Administration returning from leave in Lisbon.

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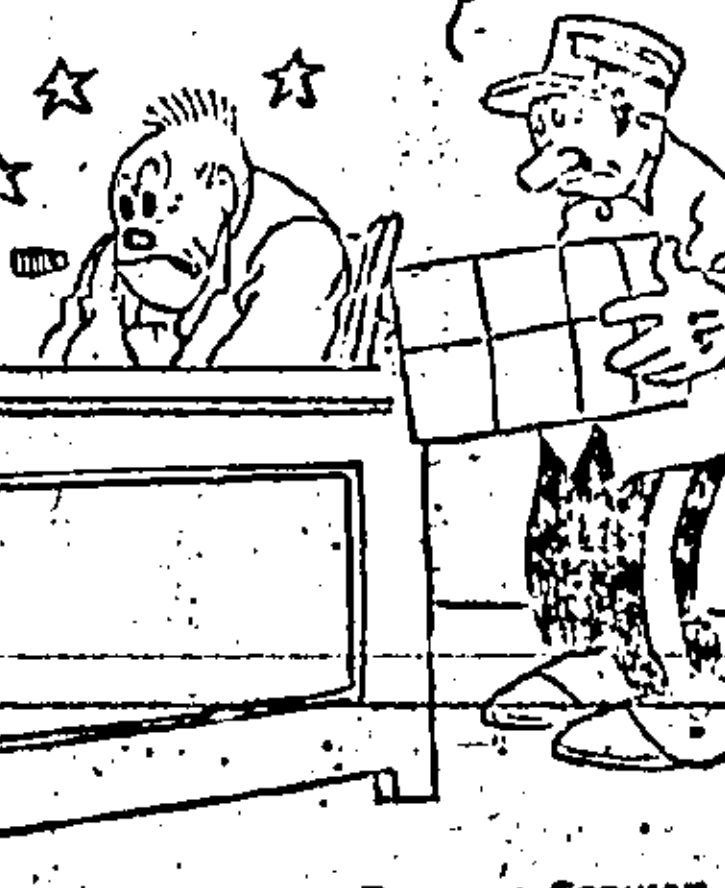
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LEGAL HUMOUR.

SOME GOOD STORIES FOUNDED ON FACT.

A well-known barrister at the Criminal Bar, who prides himself on his skill in cross-examining a witness, had an odd-looking witness upon whom to operate.

"You say, sir, that the prisoner is a thief?"

"Yes, sir, cause why—she confessed it."

"And you swear also that she repaired shoes for you subsequent to the confession?"

"I do, sir."

"Then we are to understand that you employ dishonest people to work for you even after their recalcitrances are known?"

"Of course! How else could I get assistance from a lawyer?"

"Stand down!" shouted the man of law.

A good story is told of Lord Chancellor Eldon. He was sitting one morning in his study over a table laden with papers, when a very pretty girl, embarrassed by the novelty of her position, but thoroughly in command of her wits, entered the room and walked up to the lawyer's chair.

"My dear," said the Chancellor, rising and bowing with old-world courtesy, "who are you?"

A LORD CHANCELLOR'S PROMISE.

"Lord Eldon," answered the blushing maiden, "I am Bessy Bridge of Woolly, the daughter of the vicar of Woolly, and he has sent me to remind you of a promise you made to him when I was a baby and you were a guest in his house on the occasion of your first election as member of Parliament for Woolly."

"A promise, my dear young lady? I interpreted the Chancellor trying to recall how he had pledged himself."

"Yes, Lord Eldon, a promise. You were standing over my cradle, when father said to you, 'Mr. Scott, promise me that if ever you are Lord Chancellor, when my little girl is a poor clergyman's wife will you give her husband a living?' And you answered, 'Mr. Bridge, my promise is not worth half a crown; but I give it you with all my heart and soul.'"

"Enthusiastically the Chancellor exclaimed, 'You are quite right. I admit this obligation; I remember all about it.'"

And then, after surveying the girl, whose appearance did not seem maternal, he said: "But surely the time for keeping the promise has not arrived yet? You cannot be anyone's wife at present?"

For a few seconds Bessy hesitated for an answer, and then, with a blush and a ripple of laughter, she replied: "No, but I do wish to be somebody's wife. I am engaged to a young clergyman and have a living in Hertfordshire, near my old home, that has fallen vacant. If you give it to Alfred—why, then, Lord Eldon, we shall marry before the end of the year."

The Chancellor ordered the presentation to be made out, and Bessy, in great delight, gave her benefactor a hearty kiss and hurried off to Hertfordshire, hugging the precious document all the way home.

FOOLING A JUDGE.

Lord Eldon was a very indifferent shot but an ardent sportsman. On one occasion, having ineffectually discharged two barrels at a covey of partridges, he saw a clergyman approaching who had evidently witnessed his failure.

"Where is Lord Eldon?" asked the clergyman.

"Not far off," answered the Chancellor, evasively and gruffly.

"I wish you'd use your tongue to better purpose than your gun, and tell me civilly where the Chancellor is," rejoined the clergyman.

"Well, I am Lord Eldon. What do you want with me?" replied the Chancellor.

The clergyman had travelled from Lancashire to ask Lord Eldon for a vacant living. It suited Lord Eldon's humour, after assuring himself that the clergyman was worthy, to grant his request.

"But see the ingratitude of mankind!" the Chancellor added, when relating the incident. "It was not long before a present of game reached me, with a letter from my new-made rector purporting that he had sent it to me because, from what he had seen of my shooting, he supposed I must be badly off for game. He wounded me in my tenderest spot."

A counsel for the defence once got the better of Judge Bramwell. He requested leave to address the Jury in Welsh, of which Bramwell was ignorant. It was a simple case, and permission was given Counsel said only a few words, and the judge left the decision to the jury with little comment from him. He was, however, startled at the prompt verdict of acquittal.

"What was it," he inquired afterwards, "that the learned counsel said to the jury?"

A COMMON DEVICE.

"Oh," was the reply "he just said, 'This case, gentlemen, lies in a nut-

shell. You see yourselves exactly how it stands. The judge is an Englishman, the prosecuting counsel is an Englishman, the complainant is an Englishman. But you are Welsh, I am Welsh, and the prisoner is Welsh. Need I say more? I leave it to you."

In the days when theft was punishable with death, Lord Kenyon was called upon to try a woman for stealing forty shillings. She was clearly guilty, but there were extenuating circumstances, and Lord Kenyon decided to recommend her to mercy. He had, however, to pronounce the death sentence upon her, and as he did so she fainted.

Judge Kenyon was greatly affected and cried out, "Good woman, good woman, I don't mean to hang you! I don't mean to hang you! Will nobody tell her I don't mean to hang her?"

Mr. Justice Maule was once examining a little girl as to her understanding of the nature of an oath, and her belief in the future state.

"Do you know what an oath is, my child?" asked the judge, in kindly tones.

"Yes, sir: I am obliged to tell the truth."

"And if you always tell the truth, where will you go when you die?"

"To heaven, sir."

"And what will become of you if you tell lies?"

"I shall go to the naughty place, sir."

"Are you sure of that?"

"Yes, sir, quite sure."

"Let her be sworn," said the judge.

"It is clear she knows a great deal more than I do."

A common device that has often been employed by counsel in defence of a doubtful case is illustrated by the story of Daniel O'Connell's defence of a man named Hogan, who was charged with murder. A hat, believed to belong to the prisoner, was found near the body of the murdered man, and this was the principal evidence. The body bore marks of violence that could not have been self-inflicted, and O'Connell concentrated on the hat.

THE HAT TRICK.

He cross-examined the neighbour who had identified it. "Is it different from other hats?" "No, but I know the hat." "Are you perfectly sure this hat was found near the body?" "Certain."

O'Connell proceeded to inspect the hat, and turned up the lining as he peered into the interior.

"Was the prisoner's name Pat Hogan?" (he spelled each letter slowly), "in it at the time you found it?"

"Was, of course." "You could not be mistaken?" "No, sir."

"And all you swore is as true as that?" "Quite." "Then get out of the box this minute," cried O'Connell, triumphantly.

Then, addressing the judge, he said, "There can be no conviction in this case, my lord. There is no name in the hat!"

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Registrar of Companies has struck off the China Leather Co., Ltd.

The late Dr. Gregory Paul Jordan, LL.D., left estate in the United Kingdom valued at £6,114.

The quarantine imposed against all ships from Hongkong has been suspended by Bangkok.

Lt.-Gen. Sir Charles T. D. M. Kavacagh, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., O.V.O., D.S.O., who went out to China in January last on behalf of the Sino-British Trade Association, has returned to London.

At the end of the golf season in America Hagen, who has just captured the British championship, and Kirkwood, the Australian, are going for a tour round the world playing exhibition matches in many lands. Their trip is being arranged via Honolulu, Fiji, China, Japan, India, South Africa, and other countries, so that they may arrive in Britain for next season's championship. They will take the championship cup with them.

It is officially intimated by the London and China Express of June 29 that the light cruiser "Despatch," Capt. R. C. Hamilton, will leave Sheerness for Hongkong on July 6 to take the place of the light cruiser "Curlew," Capt. H. E. Sullivan, D.S.O., which she will meet at Singapore in the third week of August to exchange some officers and ratings. The "Curlew," after rest in the home port, will go to the North America and West Indies Station in relief of the light cruiser "Constance," ordered home.

Hearing that a man injured in a motor-cycle smash was dying on the roadside at Upwey, Weymouth, Canon Beasley, the Rector, hurried to the scene and prayed by the side of the unconscious man, who was lying on a hurdle on the main road. The man, who died shortly afterwards was Mr. George Frederick Duddridge, of Barton Hill, Bristol. His wife and a Mr. Harry Radford were taken to Weymouth Hospital, their condition being critical. It is stated that Mr. Radford, who knew Mr. Duddridge in China, offered him and his wife a lift in his motor-cycle and side-car. Near the Manor House the vehicle crashed into a wall. Mr. Duddridge was an assistant at Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Hankow.

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MOTOR BIKE ACCIDENT.

POLICE SERGEANT HURT.

Police Sergeant Ellwood of the Yau-mat Station is now in hospital suffering from injuries received in a nasty accident whilst riding a motor-cycle on Wednesday night. The Sergeant was proceeding to a small fire in Bailey's shipyard at Tokawan, at a fairly high speed, when in negotiating the corner of Cook Street, Hunghom, the cycle skidded, and he was thrown over the handle bar against a door which was burst open by the force of the impact. Sergeant Ellwood was rendered unconscious and lay on the road until he was discovered by Sergeant Smith who happened along on another motor-cycle. He was removed by motor-ambulance to the Yau-mat Station where first aid was rendered and later he was taken to the hospital.

While his condition is not critical, Sergeant Ellwood will be detained in the hospital for some days.

POLICE REPORTS.

A box belonging to the principal tenant of No. 43, Gough Street, was opened by means of a duplicate key yesterday and \$217 in cash stolen.

Burglars entered No. 13, Chungsha Street in the small hours of the morning and made a haul of jewellery, money and clothing worth \$306.

A Chinese who accidentally fell overboard from the Yau-mat ferry launch "Feeyin" in midstream is now in hospital suffering from the effects of immersion.

A student of St. Stephen's College in the hospital suffering from injuries received through a fall from a tree in the College grounds.

A piracy was committed at Tungmat, Shuntak district on July 27. The river steamer "Teemin" was proceeding from Hongkong with a coal lighter in tow when it was stopped by two boats containing 10 men each, all armed with Mausers. The pirates searched the cargo for rice and when they could not find any, looted the crew's quarters and stole property worth \$623. The "Teemin" continued her trip and reported the occurrence on her return to port yesterday.

BRIDGE BLOWN UP.

A small bridge on the Kowloon-Canton Railway at Pakshuk, about 15 miles from Canton was blown up during Thursday night. Traffic was suspended between Canton and Kowloon for several hours, and the first down train from Canton yesterday morning had to be cancelled. The authorities announced at 11 a.m. yesterday that the bridge had been repaired and through traffic was immediately resumed, the afternoon train arriving in schedule time.

GENERAL ITEMS.

LADY BARRISTER'S DISTINCTION.

Miss Frances C. Kyle, barrister at law, of Belfast, was at a meeting of the circuit of Northern Ireland held recently in Belfast, elected a member of the circuit. Miss Kyle had the distinction of being the first lady barrister in the United Kingdom, and she has now the added distinction of being the first lady member of a circuit.

"SOULS."

We wonder says a home paper, by what inscrutable law of journalistic etiquette the word "soul" is exclusively reserved by newspapers for use in connection with disasters at sea. We have never read, for instance, of two thousand "souls" being killed in a land battle, or fifteen "souls" meeting their death in a railway accident; but whenever there is a calamity at sea involving casualties, the victims are invariably referred to as "souls." We have observed a similar monopoly in the case of convicted murderers. These unfortunate persons, like old soldiers, never merely die. Far more magnificent is their exit, they are "launched into eternity."

"THE UNKNOWN WARRIOR."

A notable addition has just been made to the paintings which enrich the walls of the Palace of Westminster. The historic scene in Westminster Abbey at the burial of the Unknown Warrior formed the subject of a picture by Mr. Frank Salisbury, which was exhibited at the Royal Academy last year. Sir Robert Bird, the new member for West Wolverhampton, has presented this painting to the House of Commons, and it fills the panel in St. Stephen's Hall next to the picture by Lucas of the flight of the five members. The canvas was placed in position during the Whitechapel recess.

HONGKONG HEIGHTS.

For the information of visitors the following list of some of the highest points on the Island and Mainland is published:—

ISLAND.	Feet
Signal Station	1774
Mt. Parker	1733
Mountain Lodge	1725
The Eyrie	1725
Peak Hotel	1305
Mt. Davis	877
Bowen Rd. (filterbeds)	393
MAINLAND.	
Tai-moshan	3124
Lion Rock	1645
Devil's Peak	724

THE POPE AND PALESTINE.

A White Paper published in London contains a letter from the secretary of the Cabinet to the secretary general of the League of Nations in reply to a recent communication from Cardinal Gasparri, the Papal secretary of state, which contended that Jews would be given a privileged and preponderating position under the Palestine Mandate. The Cabinet's reply says that the Cardinal's letter is based on an imperfect understanding of the measures which it is proposed to introduce into Palestine, and encloses various documents relating to the Mandate. The letter emphasises that the British Government has always contemplated that the status of all citizens of Palestine should be Palestinian, and that the special position assigned to the Zionist organisation does not imply any administrative function. Ample safeguards, adds the letter, have been provided against risk of any nationality or creed being subordinated to any other.

FAMOUS SUICIDES.

CITED AS EVIDENCE OF SANITY.

SOCRATES AND CLEOPATRA.

The hearing was concluded in the King's Bench Division before Mr. Justice Darling and a special jury in mail week of the action in which Miss Lilian Jane Gaul, of Loxham-gardens, Kensington, W., complaining of wrongful detention in St. Andrew's Hospital for Mental Diseases, Northampton, sued the members of the hospital committee and Dr. D. F. Rambaut, the superintendent, for damages.

She alleged that, entering the institution as a voluntary boarder to undergo a "rest cure," she was deprived of her liberty and treated as a lunatic. The hospital authorities, denying the allegations, said that they had acted in good faith. Before she entered the hospital Miss Gaul attempted suicide.

Cross-examining Dr. Rambaut, Miss Gaul remarked that history mentioned many famous people who had committed suicide without the slightest reason for thinking they considered themselves insane. Dr. Rambaut said he could not recall any such case.

Miss Gaul (to Dr. Rambaut): Was there not Socrates?—Yes; he took hemlock (after being condemned for denying the Athenian gods and corrupting the morals of the young).

And he was quite sane?—I am not able to offer an opinion.

And Demosthenes?—Which Demosthenes, the orator or the general?

Later Dr. Rambaut said: "Like Miss Gaul, these people were intellectual. There is nothing about their sanity or insanity."

Mr. Justice Darling: Was not Julius Caesar an epileptic?—Yes.

A Jurywoman: What about Cleopatra?—I should think it was an attack of acute melancholia.

Mr. Justice Darling: How do you reconcile that with her having ordered an asp (a small venomous serpent) to be brought to her in a basket of figs?—It is quite accurate; acute melancholia and marked apprehension of what was going to happen to her.

HANNIBAL'S ENCAPE.

Miss Gaul: There was Hannibal! (the Carthaginian general who killed himself about 183 B.C.)—He had to escape burning or crucifixion. They crucified their generals in those days if they were not successful.

Do you regard it as an insane thing to kill oneself in that way rather than wait to be crucified?—I do not think that that case and this are analogous.

Dr. Rambaut said he could not express an opinion whether Hannibal was mad or not. He agreed that Miss Gaul thought she was justified in attempting to commit suicide.

Miss Gaul, addressing the jury, said prejudices against her could not have gone further than to suggest that because she had attempted her life she might be capable of committing murder. She referred to the case of Ronald True, and said that the finding of the jury in that case had been overruled by Harley-street doctors and there had been an outcry. She asked for a verdict on the law of the country and not on the law of Harley-street.

Mr. Justice Darling, summing up, said the only issue in the case was whether there had been a breach of contract and breach of duty, the only relative period being that before Miss Gaul's certification as a lunatic.

"There is such a thing as the liberty of wise restraint," said his lordship, commenting on Miss Gaul's complaint of imprisonment. "In a country governed by law there is no such thing as absolute liberty. You must so use your rights as a free person that they do not infringe on the rights of other people as free persons."

The jury returned a verdict in favour of the hospital committee and Dr. Rambaut, and judgment was entered for them with costs.

HONGKONG TIDES.

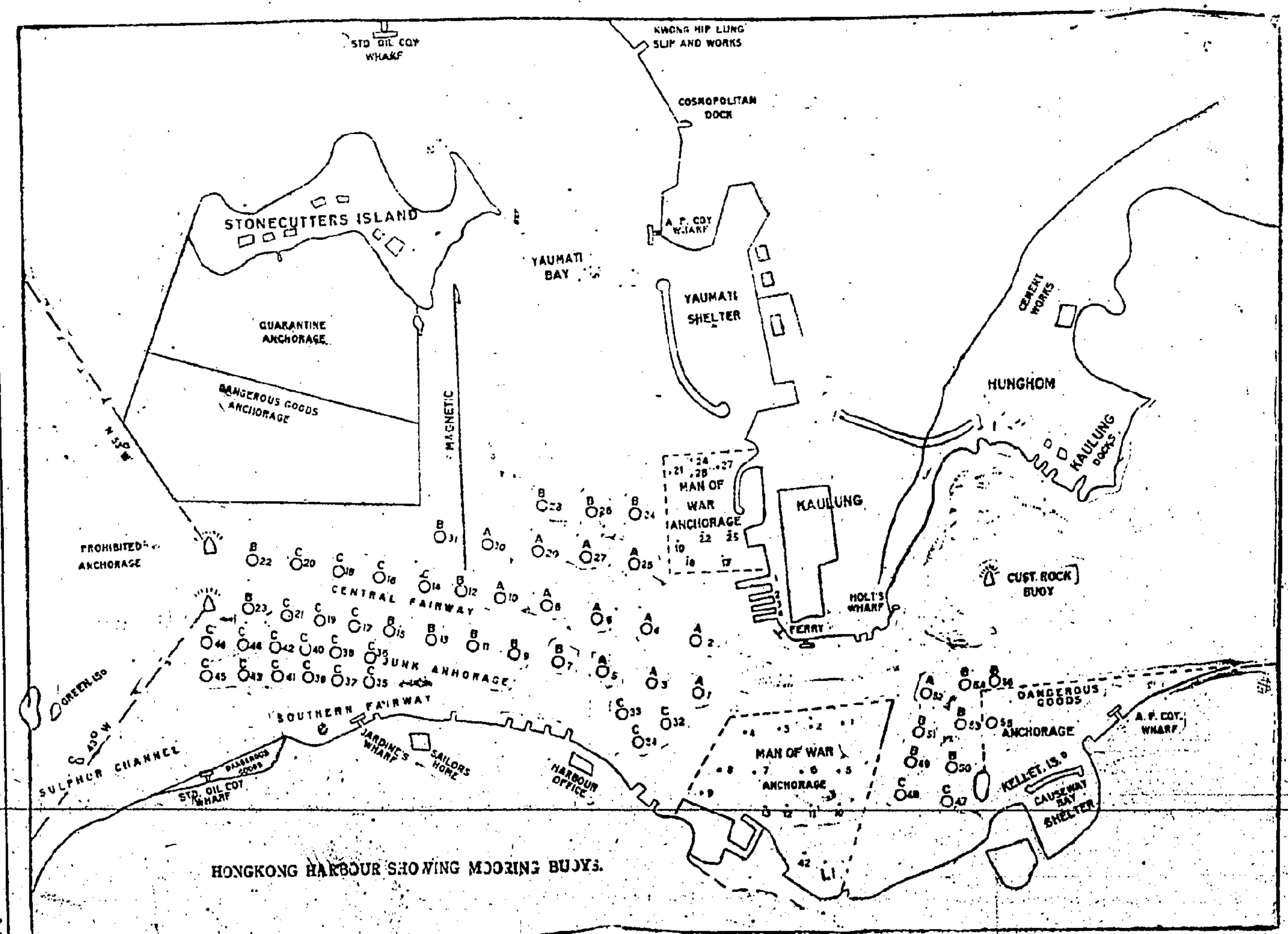
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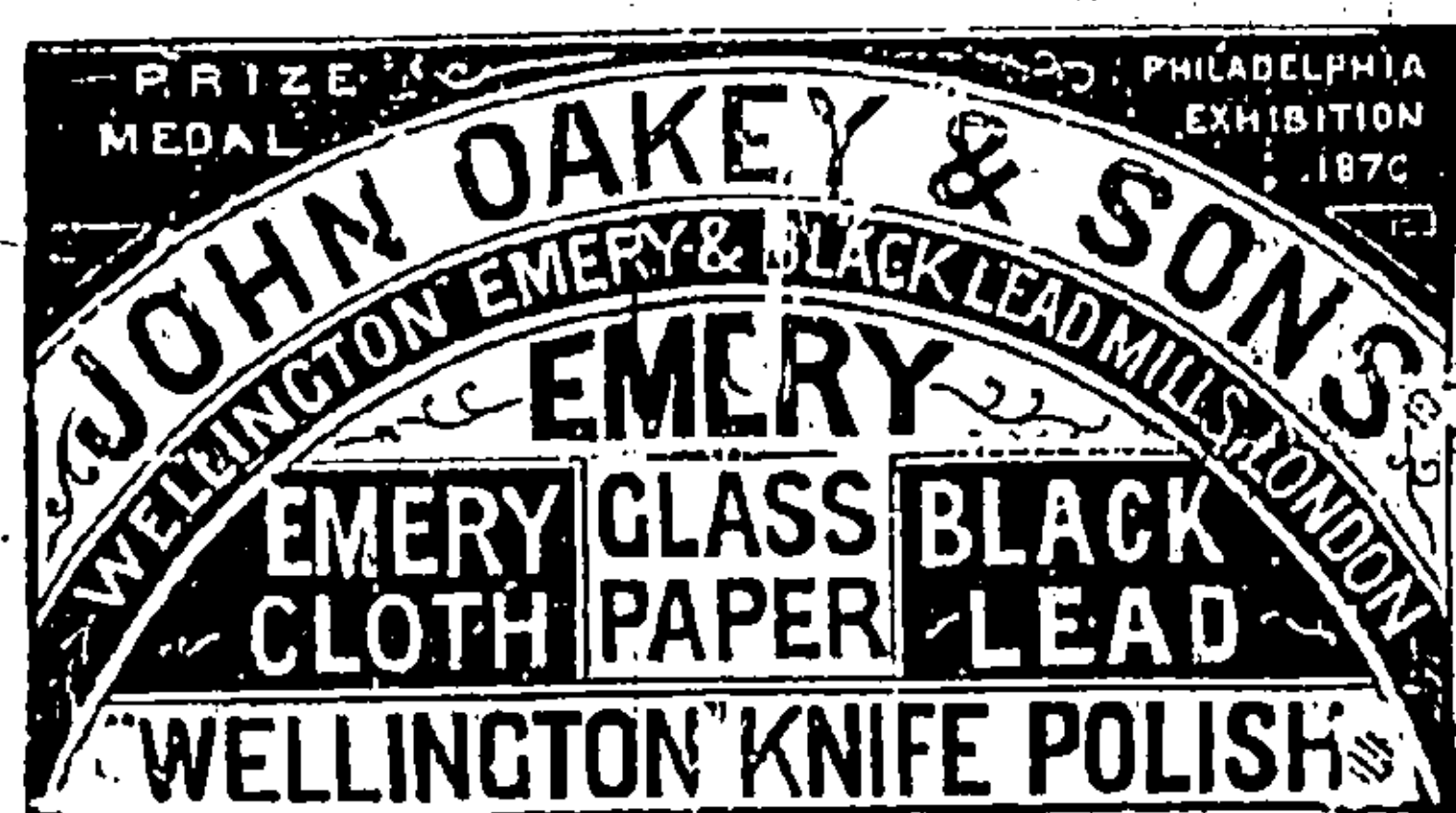
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To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 2 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet 4 inches to the height given in the table.

August 5 to 11.

		FROM WATER		LOW WATER	
		Hour	Height	Hour	Height
		Standard Time	Standard Time	Standard Time	Standard Time
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean
Mon.	5	10 10	4.1	2 30	1.1
Tues.	6	10 11	4.1	2 30	1.1
Wed.	7	10 12	4.1	2 30	1.1
Thurs.	8	10 13	4.1	2 30	1.1
Fri.	9	10 14	4.1	2 30	1.1
Sat.	10	10 15	4.1	2 30	1.1
Sun.	11	10 16	4.1	2 30	1.1





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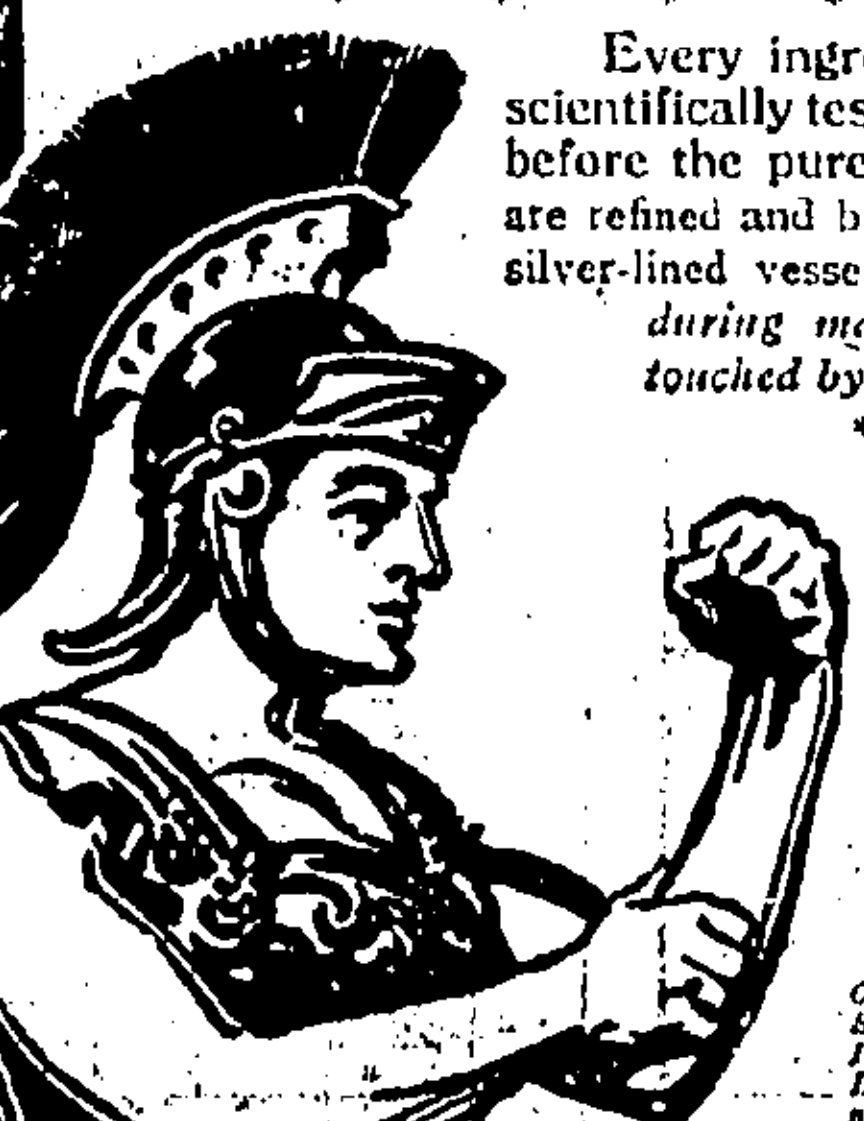
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SHADOWS BEFORE.

COMING EVENTS ADVERTISED IN THE "MAIL."

ENTERTAINMENTS.

August 5.—Coronet Theatre; Jackie Coogan in "Peck's Bad Boy." World Theatre; Justine Johnston in "Blackbirds." Kowloon Theatre; Blanche Sweet in "Her Unwilling Husband."

PUBLIC AUCTION SALES.

August 9.—Hughes and Hough: teakwood and blackwood furniture, baby grand piano, etc., Sales Rooms, 2.45 p.m.

August 9.—Lammert Bros., 3 boilers (ex s.s. "Chiyo Maru"), Tai-koo Dockyard, 11 a.m.

COMPANY MEETING.

August 18.—Union Insurance society of Canton Ltd., Queen's Buildings at noon. British Traders Insurance Co. Ltd., Queen's Buildings, 12.10 p.m. China Fire Insurance Co. Ltd., Queen's Buildings, 12.15 p.m.

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Butcher Meat.

	August 2, 1921.	June 1918.	June 1914.
Beef Strips, Mol Lung Pa ... lb.	21	24	12
Prime Cut	20	24	12
Onion, Ham Ngan Yek ...	23	23	20
Roast, Shio	24	24	22
Bread, Ngan Nam	22	20	18
Scap, Tong Yek	22	20	18
Steak, Ngan Yek Pa	24	24	23
Steak Strips, Ngan Lan ...	38	30	35
Steak, Ngan Cheung	18	24	20
Sallock's Bones, Ngan No per set	12	10	18
Tongue, fresh, Ngan Li each 60	20	20	00
Tongue, cured, Ham Ngan Li each 75 cents.	60	—	—
Head, Ngan Tan, each 1.00	1.00	1.20	—
Heart, Ngan Sam	13	13	14
Hump, Salt, Ngan Kin ...	22	20	18
Feet, Ngan Keuk	12	10	12
Kidneys, Ngan Yin	12	10	12
—, Ngan Mei	20	20	23
Liver, Ngan Kon	13	13	14
Type (undressed), Ngan To lb. 2	6	7	—
Oliver's Head and Feet, Ngan-tai-tan-keuk each 61.30	1.00	1.00	—
Mutton Chop, Young Poi Kwai lb.	26	26	25
Leg, Young Poi	26	26	25
Shoulder, Young Shau ...	24	24	24
Saddle, Young On Yek ...	16	15	—
Pig's Chittlings, Chiu Chong ...	26	25	27
Bratons, Chiu No per set	3	22	12
Feet, Chiu Keuk lb.	15	15	—
Fry, Chiu Chap	30	15	18
Head, Chiu Tau	18	20	—
Heart, Chiu Sam each 10	10	10	—
Kidneys, Chiu Yin each 10	10	8	—
Liver, Chiu Kon lb. 33	30	24	—
Pork Chop, Chiu Poi Kwai ...	27	25	23
Leg, Chiu Poi	28	28	27
Loin, Chiu Han Ton	16	28	—
Fat or Lard, Chiu Yau	22	21	—
Sheep's Head and Feet, Young Tu-Keuk each 75	60	70	—
Heart, Young Sam each 10	8	7	—
Kidneys, Young Yin each 15	12	10	—
Liver, Young Kon lb. 36	26	25	—
Sucking Pig, to order, Chiu Tai ...	24	25	23
Suet, Beef, Shang Ngan Yau ...	26	20	18
Mutton, Shang Young Yau ...	40	28	24
Veal, Ngan Tai Yek	21	20	19
Sausages, Ngan Tai Cheung	32	20	20
No. 1 ... lb. 26	—	—	—

Fish.

Barbel, Ha Yu lb. 54	19	24
Bream, Pin Yu	18	20
Canton Fresh Water Fish, Hol Sin Yu ...	21	18
Carr, Li Yu	22	18
Crabs, Chiu Yu	24	12
Codfish, Man Yu	35	20
Crabs, Hal	35	23
Crabs, Fish, Mak Yu	16	16
Dab, Sha Mang Yu	45	23
Oose, Wong Mai Lap	14	10
Dog Fish, Th To Sha	10	10
Sole, Conger, Hol Man	28	18
—, Fresh water, Tam Shai Yu ...	28	20
—, Yellow, Wong Sha	30	28
Frogs, Tin Kalo	32	25
Gardons, Shik Pan	45	40
Gardons, Pak Kap Yu	18	15
Herrings, Tin Pak	26	22
Hallbut, Ching Kwan Kyo ...	14	18
Labrus, Wong Fa Yu	26	22
Loach, Wu Yu	80	22
Lobsters, Lung Ha	45	28
Mackerel, Chi Yu	24	20
Monk Fish, Mong Yu	42	32
Mullet, Tai Yu	20	18
Oysters, Shing Ho	26	18
Parrot Fish, Kai Kung Yu ...	16	14
Perch, Tai Lo	50	20
Pike, Fa Fan Fong	10	16
Plaice, Pan Yu	33	28
Pomfret, Black, Huk Chong ...	36	28
Pomfret, White, Pak Chong ...	40	36
Prawns, Ming Ya	45	36
Ray, Pal Pa Sha	10	10
Rock Fish, Shik Kan Kung ...	16	13
Roach, Chiu Yu	32	22
Salmon, Ma Yu	45	36
Shark, Sha Yu	10	8
Skate, Po Yu	18	10
Skipper, Ha	24	26
Snapper, Lap Yu	40	32
Sole, Tai Shu Yu	38	23
Turbot, Wan Yu	28	22
Turbot, Tai Han Yu	56	18
Turtles, small fresh water, Kack Yu ...	80	40

Poultry.

	August 2, 1921.	June 1918.	June 1914.
Chicken, Kal Tau lb.	46	30	31
Capon, Small, Shu Kai	45	30	30
Capon, Large, Shu Kai	52	38	30
Duck, Ap	33	22	22
Doves, Pan Kan	—	—	—
Eggs, Hen, Kal Tau (cooking) per doz	30	18	—
Eggs, Hen, Kal Tau (fresh) per doz	30	25	20
Fowls, Canton, Kal lb	10	38	24
Fowls, Hainan, Hol Nam Kai ...	45	28	—
Geese, Ngo	30	24	24
Pigeons, Canton, Pak Kap, each 42	30	—	—
—, Holow, Hol Hau Pak Kap each 28	23	31	—
Turkeys, Cook, Fo Kai Kung lb.	60	50	—
Turkeys, Hen, Fo Kai Na ...	52	45	—
Salpe, Sha Tau each	22	—	—
Pheasant, Shan Kai	—	—	—
Quail, On Chiu	—	20	—
Partridges, Che Ku	—	—	—

Fruits.

Almonds, Hang Yan lb.	35	20
Apples, (California), Kam Shan Ping Ko ...	21	—
Bananas, (bride's), Macao, F n Heung Chin ...	4	—
Chamboa, Young To	12	—
Cocconuts, Ye Te each 10	10	10
Lemons, China, Ling Mang ...	7	—
Lemons, (America), Kam Shan Liug Mang ...	10	8
Lichees, Dried, (small stone), Lai Chi On lb.	25	3
Oranges, (Canton), Sweet, Shun-sheng Tin Chang lb	32	10
Oranges, Tin Chang	—	15
Pears, (Canton), Cooking, Sha Li ...	10	—
Peanuts, Fa Shang	12	10
Persimmons, Large, Hung Teo ...	12	—
Plantain, Tai Chiu	1	3
Pomeles, Stam, Tsin Lo Yau ...	12	6
Walnuts, Hop To lb. 20	14	15
Grapes, Po Tai Tai	25	—

Vegetables, &c.

Artichokes, Ah Chi Chuk	—	8
Beans, Sprout, Ng Tao lb 4	4	7
—, Long, Tin Kok	12	8
Beet Root, Hong Tai Tan 3 each	8	6
Blister Squash, Fa Kwa	0	—
Brussels, Green, Ching Yau Kwa ...	5	8
—, Red, Hung Koo	5	8
Cabbage Chinese, (common), Kal Tai ...	8	12
—, (Shanghai), Ye Tai	12	—
Cane Shoots, bunch, Kan Shun ...	4	8
Cauliflower (Large), Ye Tai Fa each (Medium), " "	—	—
—, (Small), " "	—	—
Carrots, Kam Shan lb. 10	6	6
Celery Chinese, Tong Kan Tao ...	8	10
Chillies, Dried, Kon Lat Chiu ...	20	25
—, Red, Hung Fa Chiu	10	16
—, Green, Ching Lat Chiu	8	12
Curry Stuff, English, Ka Li Chiu ...	10	10
Cucumbers, Ching Kwa each 3	2	—
Garlic, Sun Tau lb. 5	8	—
Ginger young, Sen To Keung ...	8	7
Ginger, old, Lo Keung	6	10
Horseradish, Shanghai, Lik Kan ...	20	45
Indian Corn, Shuk Mai each 6	4	—
Leeks, Young Shung Tai lb. 6	1	—
Water Chestnuts, Ma Tai lb. 8	6	6
Mandarin, Kyal Lam Ma Tai	10	6
Mushrooms, Fresh, Shang Tao Ka lb. 40	—	3
Onions, Bombay, Young Chung Tai lb. 10	8	10
Onions, Green, Shang Chung lb.	6	4
Onions, Shanghai, Shang-hai Chong Tai ...	6	6
Parsley, Kun Tai	40	60
Potato, Sweet, Fan Shu	3	3
—, Japanese, Yai Fan Shu Tai lb. 4	3	—
—, American, Fa Ki Shu Tai lb. 8	8	10
Pumpkin, Tung Kwa lb. 4	2	4
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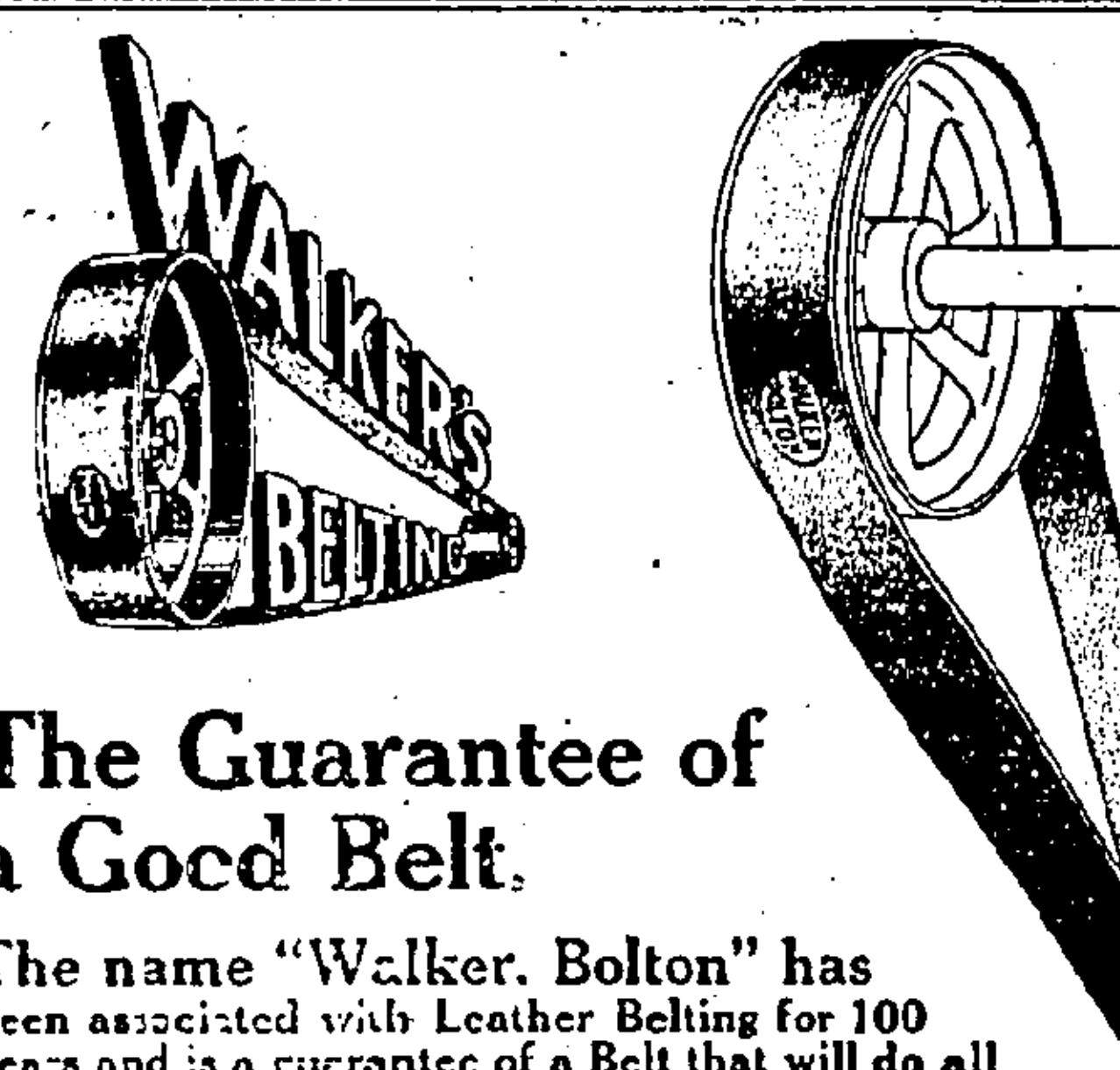
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 There will be one delivery from the District Offices at noon.

INWARD MAILS.

FROM SATURDAY, AUGUST 5.
 Europe via Suez (Letters & Papers London 6th July)...Kiangchow
 Shanghai...Liangchow
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OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR SATURDAY, AUGUST 5.
 Shanghai and North China...Sicilia 2.30 p.m.
 Tientsin...Chipshing 2.30 p.m.
 Bangkok...Deon Samud 2.30 p.m.
 Shanghai and North China...Menton 2.30 p.m.
 Swatow...Sunco 3 p.m.
 Shanghai and North China...Cordillera 5 p.m.
 Straits, Ceylon, Mauritius, L. Marques, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi, Egypt & EUROPE via MARSEILLES—due MARSEILLES 5th Sept. Registration 5 p.m. Letters 5 p.m.
 Saigon...Harura Maru 5 p.m.
 SUNDAY, AUGUST 6
 Calcutta...Annan Maru 9 a.m.
 Swatow, Amoy and Keelung...Gyokoh Maru 9 a.m.
 Samshui and Wuchow...Onshu Maru 9 a.m.
 Kowloon...Kochow 9 a.m.
 MONDAY, AUGUST 7
 Amoy...Armenistan 8 a.m.
 Swatow and Amoy...Kiangchow 8 a.m.
 Philippine Islands, Sandakan and New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island about 26th August. Registration 1.45 p.m. Letters 2.30 p.m.
 Straits Egypt and EUROPE via LONDON—due LONDON 16th September
 Straits...Glancus 9 a.m.
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 Hydrangas...Hydrangas 9 a.m.
 TUESDAY, AUGUST 8
 Philippine Islands...Keemun 11 a.m.
 Swatow and Bangkok...Kaying 12.30 p.m.
 Haiphong, Saigon, Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, L. Marques, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi, Egypt & EUROPE via MARSEILLES—due MARSEILLES 11th Sept. Registration 12.45 p.m. Letters 1.30 p.m.
 Weihaiwei, Choofoo and Tientsin...Andre Lebon 3 p.m.
 Saigon...Telemachus 5 p.m.
 WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9
 Shanghai, North China, Japan, Canada, United States, Central and South America & EUROPE via VICTORIA, B.C.—due VICTORIA, B.C. 29th August. Registration 5 p.m. Letters 6 a.m.
 Hoilow and Haiphong...President Grant 5 p.m.
 Thursday, August 10
 Shanghai, North China, Japan, Canada, United States, Central and South America & EUROPE via VANCOUVER, B.C.—due Vancouver 28th Aug. Registration 9.15 a.m. Letters 10.00 a.m.
 Friday, August 11
 Swatow, Amoy and Keelung...Waishong 11 a.m.
 Saturday, August 12
 Philippine Islands, Sandakan, Australia & New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island about 26th August. Registration 1.45 p.m. Letters 3 p.m. Changsha
 Monday, August 14
 Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, L. Marques, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi, Aden, Egypt & EUROPE via MARSEILLES—due MARSEILLES 18th September. Registration 8.45 a.m. Letters 9.30 a.m.
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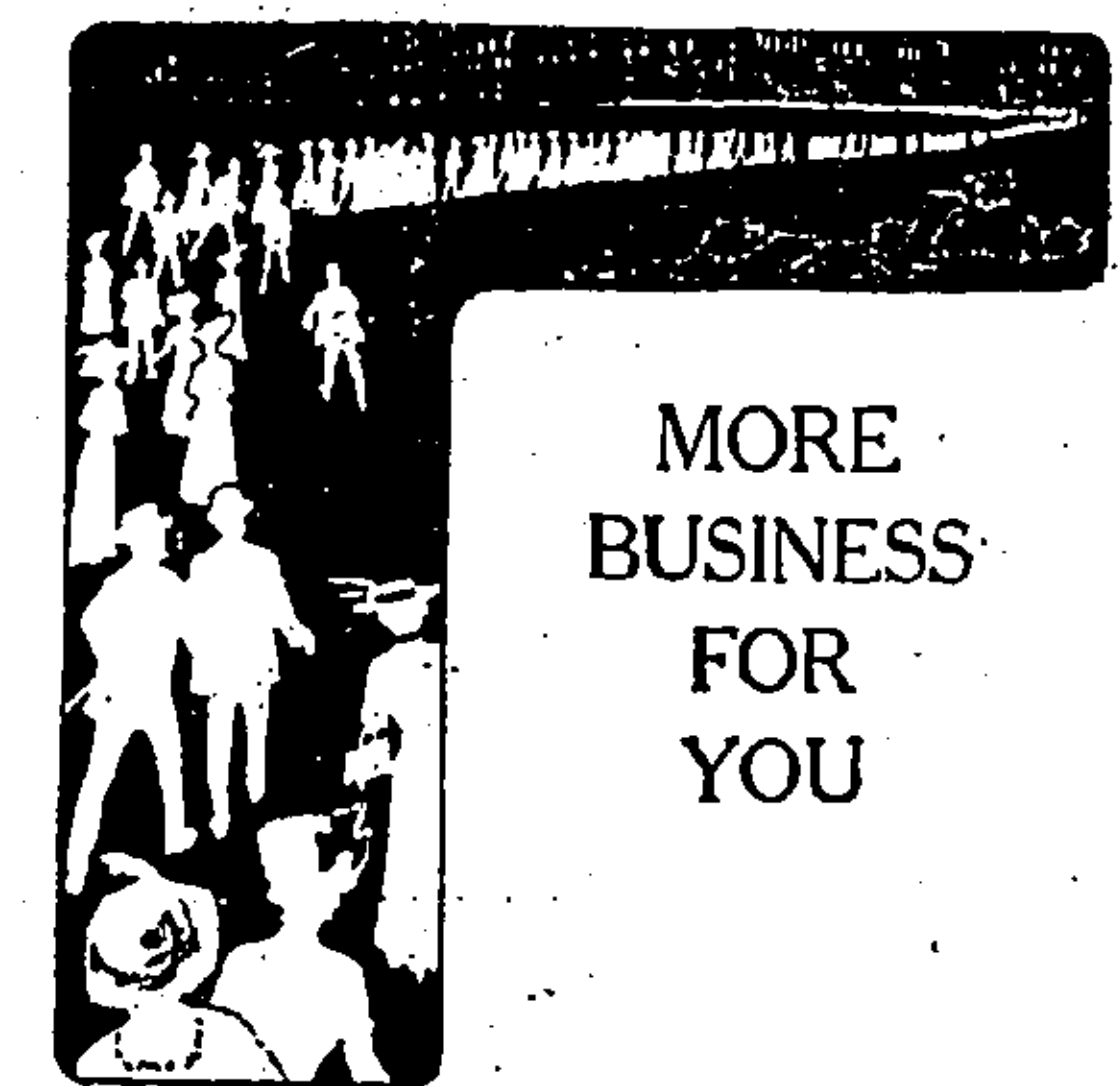
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EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

"Then was Jesus led up of the Spirit into the wilderness," these words came into our minds when we read to-morrow's Epistle. Jesus is the Son of God, we are the Sons of God by adoption, and He has led the way for us—a way which begins in the wilderness, a way of prayer and fasting that we may be strengthened to overcome the attacks of the world, the flesh and the Devil. "Mortify the deeds of the body through the Spirit." Alone we cannot know how best to discipline our outward senses but the Holy Spirit will teach us. He will guide us into the best way of offering our bodies as living sacrifices; He will show us that the way of love leads past the Cross, where, if we would at last be glorified with Christ we must wait till we have learned "that all beauty is pain, and that all pain is illuminated by the golden rays of a heavenly beauty." There can be no "smoothing over" of the stern teaching in to-morrow's Gospel. It is not enough to acknowledge Jesus as Our Lord, if He is Our Master, such acknowledgment must lead to service, service to love, love to that surrender which cries out only one prayer "Thy will be done." When Jesus gave this warning to His disciples to beware of false prophets, He knew that they had already submitted to His yoke and to-day His warning comes to us, bidding us to look into our own lives. What fruits are we bearing? The states of our hearts will be shown in outward acts—are we willing to prune and cut away the withered branches—does our light so shine before men that they glorify God? If not, this is what Jesus says "Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down and cast into the fire." Now are the days when churchmanship is really put to its test in Hongkong. The sweltering heat of the past few weeks has been apt to thin out the nominal churchmen—quite a small excuse will mean a vacant seat nowadays. Those who believe they should be at the Lord's Own Service at the Lord's Own House on the Lord's Own Day will not allow the heat to keep them from their usual places before the Altar. "Thou shalt be missed because thy seat will be empty."